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ILLINOIS BI-MONTHLY ECONOMIC DATA SHEETS

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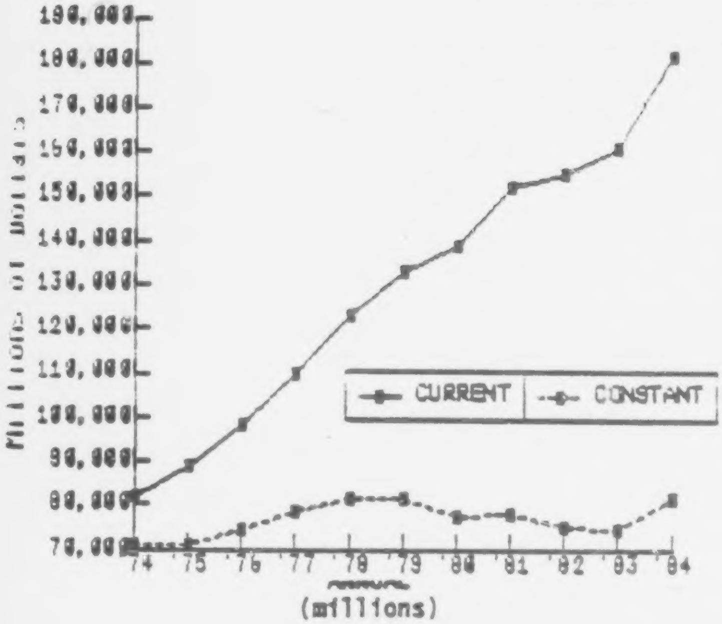
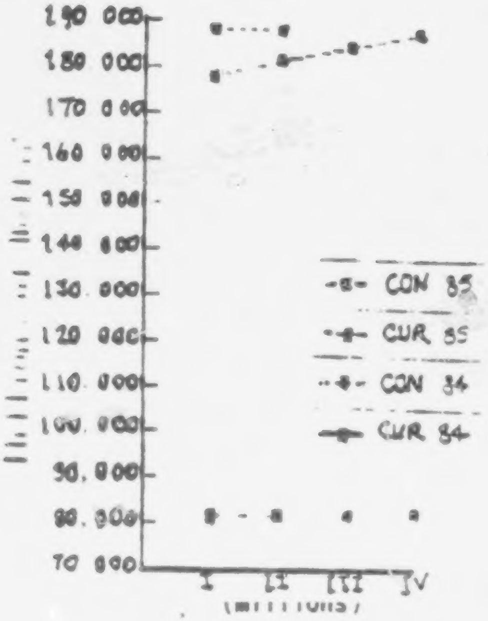
ILLINOIS GROSS STATE PRODUCT





Year	Current	Constant (1972=100)	Constant $ Percent Change ILL.	Constant $ Percent Change U.S.
1970	59,975	65,647	-1.9	-0.2
1971	63,278	65,901	0.4	3.4
1972	67,983	67,983	3.2	5.7
1973	76,294	72,111	6.1	5.8
1974	81,929	71,193	-1.3	-0.6
1975	89,039	70,784	-0.6	-1.2
1976	98,244	74,236	4.9	5.4
1977	109,876	78,455	5.7	5.5
1978	122,730	81,591	4.0	5.0
1979	132,893	81,319	-0.3	2.8
1980	138,463	77,510	-4.7	-0.3
1981	152,141	77,963	0.6	2.5
1982	155,007	74,926	-3.9	-2.1
1983	160,567	74,564	-0.5^{r}	3.7
1984	182,335	81,618	9.5P	6.8
1985				2.4, 2.4**
1986				2.5, 1.9**
1987				3.2, 3.6**

Year	Current	Constant (1972=100)	Constant $ % Change at Annual Rate Ill.	Constant $ % Change at Annual Rate U.S.
1983				
I	153,977	72,334	-6.4	3.3
II	157,492	73,509	6.7	9.4
III	161,864	74,976	8.2	6.8
IV	168,891	77,399	13.6	5.9
1984^{r}				
I	177,830	80,619	17.7^{r}	10.1
II	181,286	81,513	4.5^{r}	7.1
III	183,592	81,753	1.2^{r}	1.6
IV	186,485	82,479	3.6P	4.3
1985				
IP	187,556	81,877	-2.9P	0.3
IIP	187,928	81,513	-1.8P	2.0
III				2.7
IV				2.6

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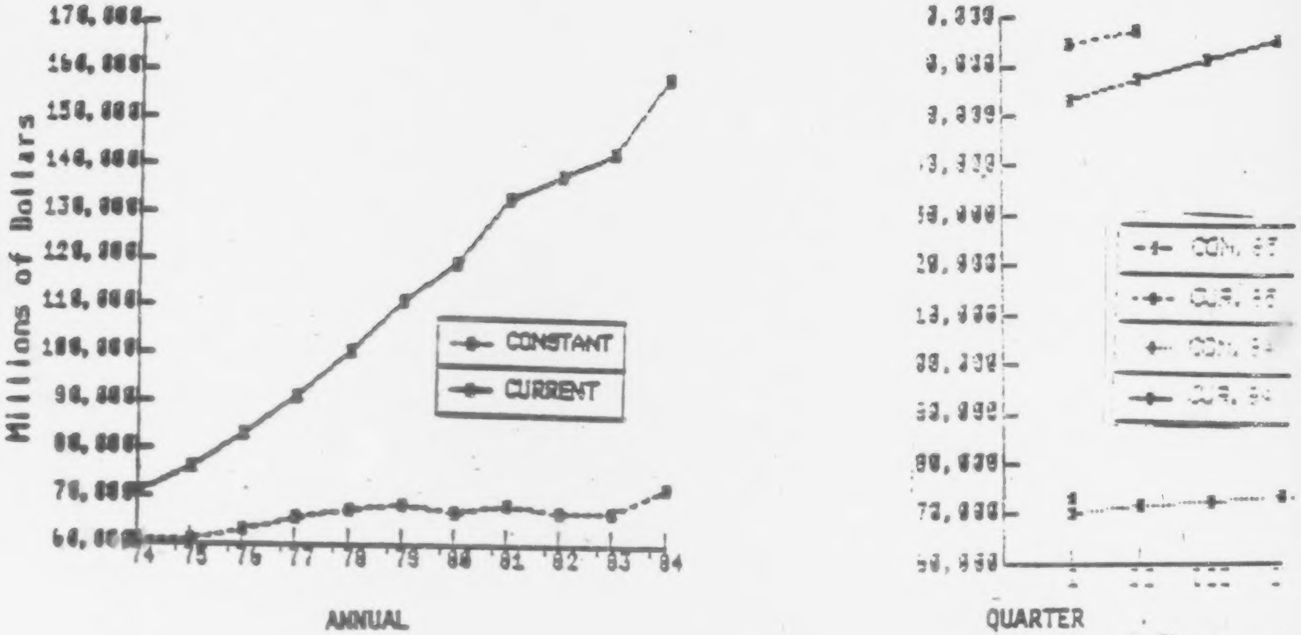
f - forecast r - revised

*Seasonally adjusted at annual rates.

**Chase Econometrics Forecast (OCTOBER), Data Resources Forecast (NOVEMBER).

SOURCE: Illinois Department of Commerce and Community Affairs.

ILLINOIS TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME



Year	Amount (millions) Cur-rent	Con-stant**	Percentage Change Current ILL.	U.S.	Constant ILL.	U.S.	Current $ Per Capita Personal Income ILL.	U.S.
1970	50,232	54,305	6.2	7.5	1.6	2.9	4,515	3,945
1971	53,649	55,595	6.8	7.2	2.4	2.8	4,788	4,167
1972	57,812	57,812	7.8	9.6	4.0	5.8	5,135	4,515
1973	64,767	61,274	12.0	12.1	6.0	6.0	5,752	5,010
1974	70,807	60,831	9.3	9.8	-0.7	-0.3	6,281	5,448
1975	76,453	61,016	8.0	8.3	0.3	0.6	6,762	5,842
1976	82,924	62,964	8.5	10.1	3.2	4.7	7,299	6,367
1977	91,253	65,508	10.0	10.8	4.0	4.7	8,000	6,984
1978r	100,567	67,449	10.2	12.5	3.0	5.1	8,795	7,772
1979r	111,264	68,470	10.6	12.1	1.5	2.9	9,741	8,651
1980r	119,451	66,732	7.4	11.0	-2.5	0.8	10,448	9,494
1981r	133,125	68,445	11.5	12.2	2.6	3.5	11,609	10,544
1982r	137,419	66,860	3.2	6.4	-2.3	0.6	11,985	11,113
1983r	142,194	66,687	3.5	6.2	-0.3	2.1	12,393	11,690
1984r	158,876	71,796	11.4	9.4	7.6	6.4	13,802	12,789
1985f				5.9, 6.0***				13,396
1986				6.0, 5.5***				
1990		79,413						

	Amount (millions)	% Change at Annual Rate ILL.	U.S.
1984 CURRENT			
I	153,011	16.2	12.4
IIr	157,213	11.4	9.1
IIIr	160,541	8.7	8.7
IVr	163,720	8.2	6.6
1984 CONSTANT			
I	70,189	12.0	8.3
II	71,492	7.6	6.7
III	72,304	4.6	4.2
IV	73,163	4.8	4.1
1985 CURRENT			
Ir	164,361	1.6	6.3
IIp	166,908	6.3	4.1
III***			4.8
IV***			7.2
1985 CONSTANTf			
I	73,417	1.4	2.9
II			0.8
III			1.9
IV			3.6

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r - revised, f - U. S. Dept. of Commerce forecast.

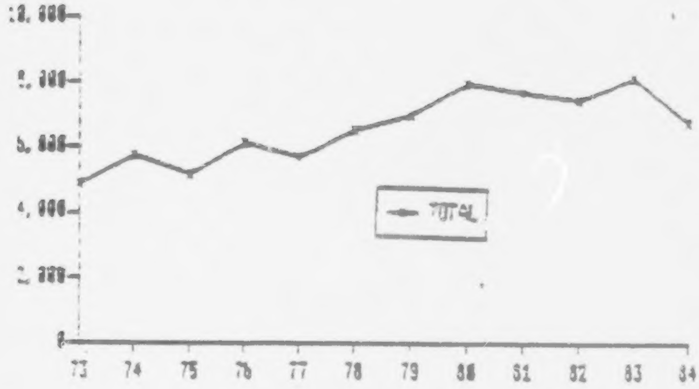
*Seasonally adjusted at annual rates.

**Personal Consumption Expenditures deflator for U.S. (1972=100).

***Chase Econometric Forecast (OCTOBER), Data Resources Forecast (NOVEMBER).

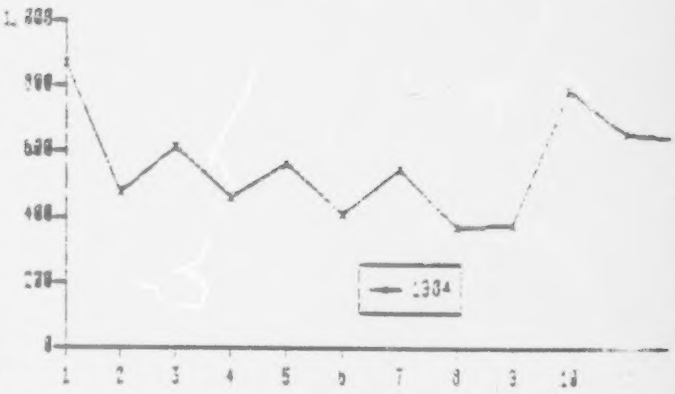
SOURCE: Survey of Current Business, U.S. Department of Commerce.

ILLINOIS
CASH RECEIPTS FROM FARM MARKETINGS



ANNUAL
(millions)

Year	Livestock	Crops	Total	Total Percent Change ILL.	Total Percent Change U.S.
1970	1,314	1,496	2,810	1.2	4.9
1971	1,188	1,548	2,736	-2.6	4.8
1972	1,488	1,832	3,319	21.3	15.7
1973	1,923	2,959	4,882	47.1	42.3
1974	1,799	3,933	5,731	17.4	6.1
1975	1,873	3,320	5,193	-9.4	-4.6
1976	1,847	4,290	6,134	18.1	7.4
1977	1,874	3,823	5,697	-7.1	0.8
1978	2,127	4,430	6,556	15.1	16.9
1979	2,383	4,584	6,967	6.3	17.1
1980	2,321	5,650	7,971	14.4	5.9
1981	2,225	5,420	7,645	-4.1	2.6
1982	2,373	5,062	7,434	-2.8	-0.1
1983	2,340	5,780	8,120	9.2	-3.2
1984	2,182	4,556	6,738	-5.7	7.2



MONTH[r]
(millions)

1984 Month	Livestock	Crops	Total	Total % Change from 1 Year Ago ILL.	Total % Change from 1 Year Ago U.S.
Jan	$218	$647	$865	-40.1	-12.2
Feb	181	295	476	-35.5	-4.0
Mar	173	442	615	-20.5	7.3
Apr	191	266	457	-20.2	-4.1
May	190	373	563	-0.5	6.7
June	182	224	406	-29.5	-1.3
July	180	364	544	-18.6	-3.9
Aug	169	200	369	-37.8	-1.9
Sept	163	214	377	-25.0	0.8
Oct	158	623	781	9.7	9.8
Nov	189	459	648	34.4	16.3
Dec	189	441	630	22.4	8.6
CUMULATIVE THRU LATEST MONTH SHOWN ABOVE				-5.7	7.2

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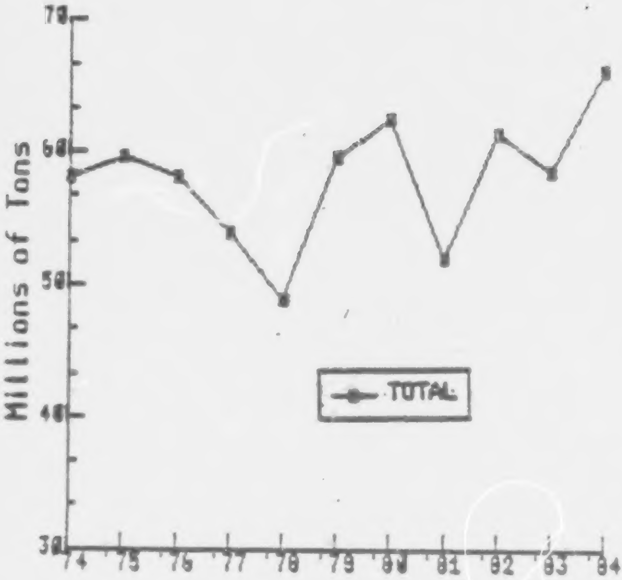
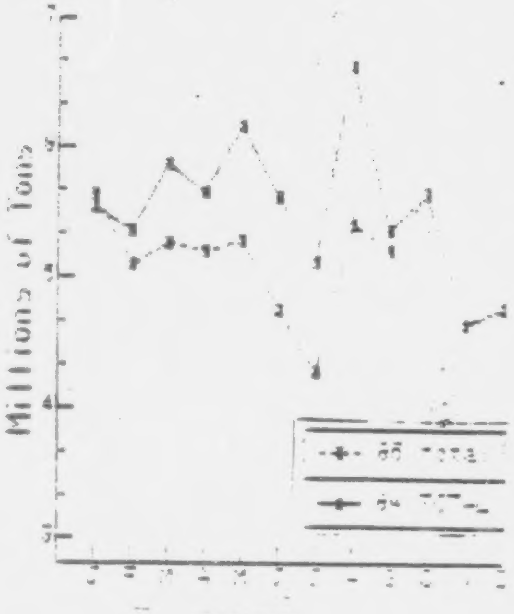
r - revised. Monthly Series has been temporarily suspended.
SOURCE: Agricultural Outlook, U.S. Department of Agriculture.

ILLINOIS BITUMINOUS COAL PRODUCTION





ANNUAL
(thousands of tons)

Year	SURFACE	UNDERGROUND	TOTAL	PERCENT TOTAL OF U.S.
1970	33,269	31,615	64,884	10.8
1971	28,961	29,454	58,415s	10.6
1972	33,806	31,715	65,621	11.0
1973	28,971	32,578	61,549	10.4
1974	26,969	31,104	58,073	9.6
1975	27,659	31,880	59,539	9.2
1976	27,224	30,912	58,136	8.6
1977	24,291	29,589	53,880	7.7
1978	23,855	24,889	48,744s	7.3
1979	26,857	32,681	59,538	7.6
1980	27,574	34,968	62,542	7.5
1981	22,563	29,236	51,799s	6.3
1982	25,750	36,477	62,227	7.4
1983	24,952	34,376	59,328	
1984	24,973	41,232	66,204	

MONTHLY
(thousands of tons)

	TOTAL	------------1985------------		
Month	1984	SURFACE	UNDERGROUND	TOTAL
Jan	5,523	1,981	3,639	5,620
Feb	5,344	1,794	3,304	5,098
March	5,863	1,902	3,356	5,258
April	5,651	1,769	3,427	5,196
May	6,147	1,695	3,571	5,266
June	5,606	1,619	3,131	4,750
July	5,111	1,833	2,436	4,269
Aug	6,605	2,075	3,309	5,384
Sept	5,341	1,922	3,271	5,193
Oct	5,633	1,840	3,793	5,633
Nov	4,633			
Dec	4,748			

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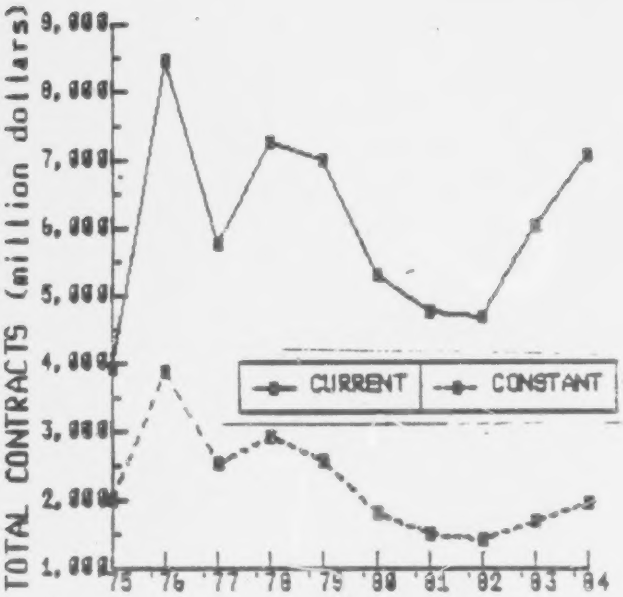
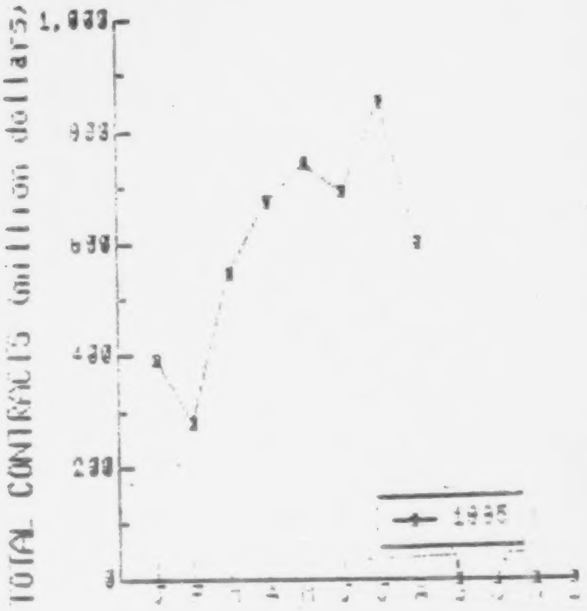
s - Affected by major strike activity.

SOURCE: Illinois Department of Mines and Minerals.

ILLINOIS CONTRACTS FOR FUTURE* CONSTRUCTION



ANNUAL
(millions)



MONTH
(millions)
1985

Year	Resi-den-tial	Non-Res.	Non-Bldg.	TOTAL Current Amount	TOTAL Constant Amount**	TOTAL Current Percent Change Ill.	TOTAL Current Percent Change U.S.
1970	NA	NA	NA	3,596	NA	-1.2	--
1971	$1,752	$1,405	$799	3,956	2,792	10.0	17.4
1972	1,966	1,874	932	4,772	3,047	20.6	13.5
1973	2,102	1,597	1,239	4,938	2,898	3.5	9.2
1974	1,430	1,846	1,099	4,374	2,422	-11.4	-5.7
1975	1,363	1,482	1,062	3,907	1,988	-10.7	-1.1
1976	2,172	1,591	4,697	8,459	3,886	116.5	22.3
1977	3,183	1,641	962	5,786	2,511	-31.6	26.5
1978	3,463	2,200	1,599	7,262	2,905	25.5	13.4
1979	2,788	2,498	1,711	6,997	2,576	-3.6	4.0
1980	1,702	2,192	1,408	5,302	1,786	-24.4	-13.0
1981	1,579	2,240	962	4,781	1,471	-9.8	1.2
1982	1,435	1,977	1,284	4,696	1,393	-1.0	0.7
1983	2,338	2,242	1,439	6,020	1,678	28.2	23.0
1984	2,435	2,829	1,834	7,099	1,946	17.2	8.4
1985***						5.6	5.8

Month	Resi-den-tial	Non-Res.	Non-Bldg.	TOTAL Amt.	TOTAL % Change from 1 Year Ago Ill.	TOTAL % Change from 1 Year Ago U.S.
Jan	$88	$203	$101	$392	43	7.7
Feb	89	146	45	280	-48	-5.9
Mar	201	183	162	545	-7	6.4
Apr	248	312	113	672	25	17.3
May	238	275	228	741	-4	0.8
June	249	184	257	690	30	-5.8
July	353	389	110	852	--	14.8
Aug	236	276	84	596	+16	7.5
Sept						
Oct						
Nov						
Dec						
CUMULATIVE THRU LATEST MONTH SHOWN ABOVE					+4%	

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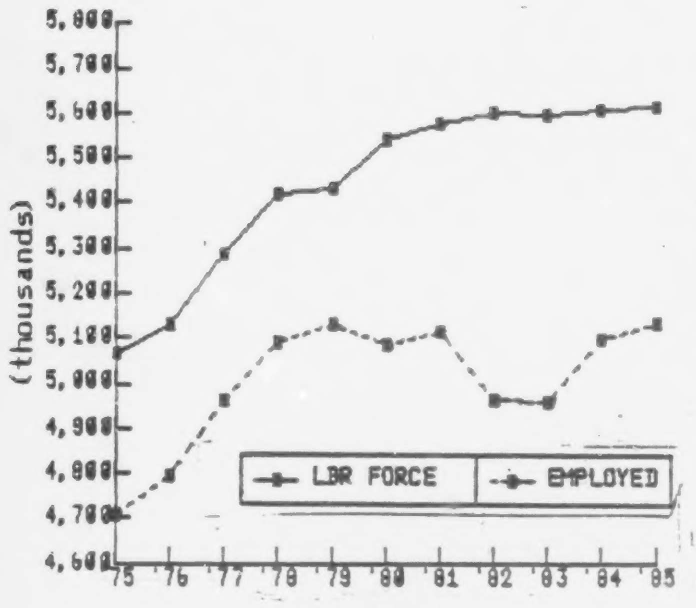
*Construction generally begins about 6 months later.

**Engineering News-Record building and construction cost index. (1967=100)

***Dodge Forecast. Figure under Illinois is actually for North Central (OCTOBER).

SOURCE: Dodge Division. McGraw-Hill Information System Co.

LABOR FORCE, EMPLOYED AND UNEMPLOYED



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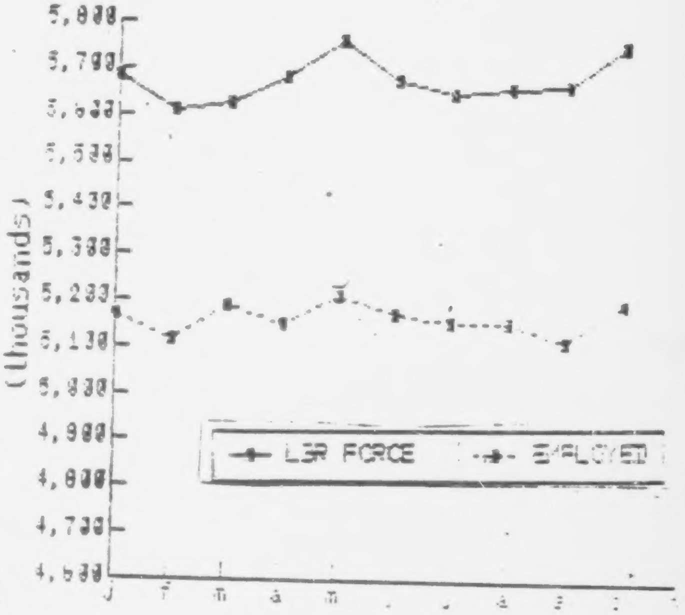

MONTH**
(thousands)
1985

	ILLINOIS			Insured Unemployed	
Year	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Numb.	Percent**
1970	4,710	4,538	171	NA	NA
1971	4,735	4,494	242	96.5	3.0
1972	4,855	4,609	246	87.3	2.8
1973	4,909	4,705	203	68.4	1.9
1974	4,989	4,777	212	90.0	2.3
1975	5,068	4,708	360	216.8	5.6
1976	5,132	4,797	336	197.9	5.3
1977	5,289	4,964	325	172.3	4.6
1978	5,420	5,092	329	149.7	3.7
1979	5,429	5,130	298	141.0	3.1
1980	5,539	5,085	458	212.7	4.6
1981	5,578	5,111	475	196.8	4.4
1982	5,597	4,963	634	252.5	5.5
1983	5,594	4,954	640	217.8	5.0
1984	5,604	5,093	511	140.1	3.2
1985E	5,610	5,130	480		

	ILLINOIS			Insured Unemployed	
Month	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Numb.	Per
Jan	5,681	5,166	516	166.1	3.8
Feb	5,611	5,115	496	187.3	4.3
Mar	5,625	5,190	435	185.4	4.2
Apr	5,684	5,151	533	173.2	3.9
May	5,763	5,211	552	132.4	3.0
June	5,675	5,169	506	132.6	3.0
July	5,648	5,153	495	135.3	3.0
Aug	5,661	5,153	508	130.3	2.9
Sep	5,665	5,133	532	119.6	2.7
Oct	5,750	5,194	556	113.8	2.5
Nov				123.3	2.7
Dec					

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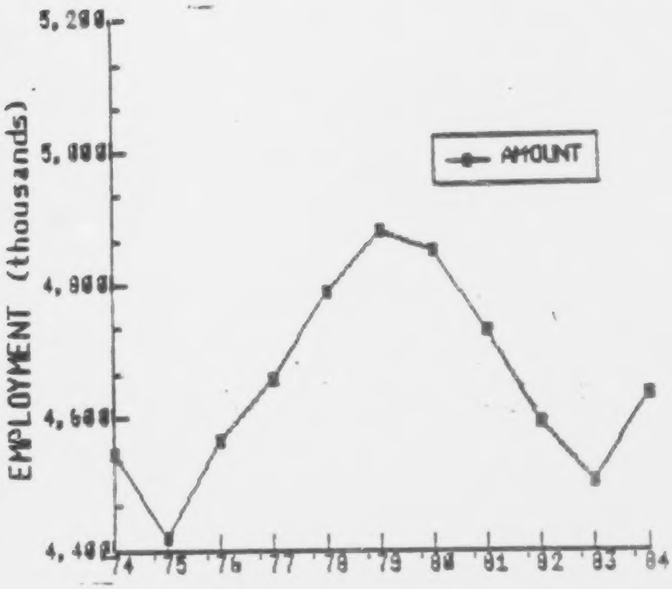
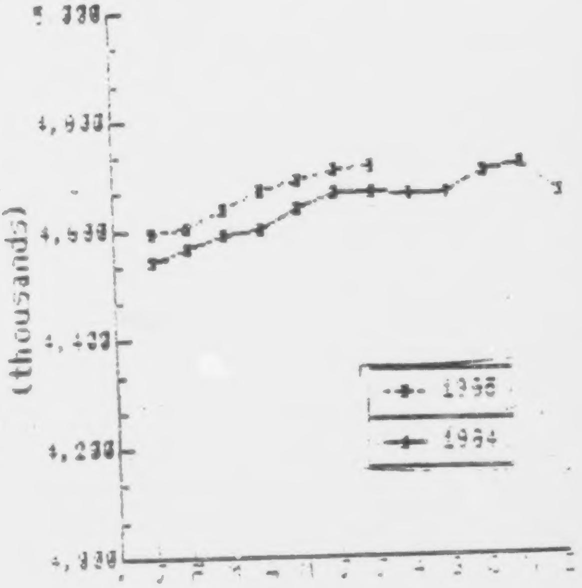
*Data are seasonally adjusted except for insured unemployed.
**Insured unemployment as percent of average covered employment.
p - preliminary
E - Estimate prepared by the Illinois Dept. of Employment Security.
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

ILLINOIS TOTAL NON-AGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT





Year	Amount	Percent Change ILL.	Percent Change U.S.	Month	1983	1984	1985	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago Ill.	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago U.S.
				Jan	4,429	4,544	4,593	1.1	3.9
1970	4,346	-0.7	0.7	Feb	4,433	4,564	4,604	0.9	3.5
1971	4,296	-1.1	0.5	Mar	4,459	4,588	4,635	1.0	3.7
1972	4,315	0.4	3.5	Apr	4,479	4,598	4,666	1.5	3.6
1973	4,470	3.6	4.2	May	4,526	4,637	4,688	1.1	3.6
1974	4,546	1.7	1.9	June	4,552	4,662	4,707	0.9	3.3
1975	4,419	-2.8	-1.7	July	4,565	4,662	4,697	1.1	3.5
1976	4,566	3.3	3.2	Aug	4,552	4,661	4,702	0.9	
1977	4,656	2.0	3.9	Sept	4,591	4,661	4,707	1.0	
1978	4,789	2.9	5.1	Oct	4,565	4,697			
1979	4,880	2.0	3.6	Nov	4,605	4,710			
1980	4,850	-0.3	0.8	Dec	4,611	4,654			
1981	4,732	-2.3	1.8						
1982	4,593	-2.9	-1.7						
1983	4,531	-1.4	0.6						
1984	4,636	2.2	4.5						

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r - New March 1984 benchmark revisions.

NOTE: Beginning in 1974, data are based on the 1972 Standard Industrial Classification Manual.

*Data not seasonally adjusted.

SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

NON-AGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY*
ILLINOIS
(thousands)

	1983	1984	1985* Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept^p	Oct	Nov	Dec
Mining	25	25	23	23	23	25	26	26	27	26	26			
Construction	144	150	127	123	135	152	165	175	183	184	185			
Manufacturing	956	986	966	964	960	953	954	959	952	952	951			
Transp., & Publ Util.	264	274	271	272	274	274	275	273	277	277	278			
Wholesale, & Ret. Trade	1098	1144	1150	1137	1143	1151	1160	1167	1164	1166	1171			
Fin., Ins., & Real Est.	320	318	318	318	319	320	322	327	329	329	326			
Services	1022	1048	1043	1048	1056'	1063	1067	1084	1096	1100	1091			
Government	702	691	696	719	724	728	719	695	689	668	678			
TOTAL	4531	4636	4593	4604	4635	4666	4688	4707	4697	4702	4707			

CHICAGO AREA**
(thousands)

CHICAGO

	SMSA (thousands) 1982	1983	1984	1985 Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug^p	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Mining	3	3	4	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2				
Construction	100	100	101	92	89	95	103	110	115	120	120				
Manufacturing	686	640	646	688	687	686	683	680	683	678	678				
Transp., & Pub. Util.	183	176	180	189	189	190	190	190	187	190	189				
Wholesale & Retail Trade	746	737	793	784	771	775	778	785	791	788	790				
Fin., Ins., & Real Est.	243	239	240	248	247	248	250	250	254	255	255				
Services	724	740	748	758	760	765	772	781	788	803	805				
Government	396	382	377	399	403	406	407	405	408	399	399				
TOTAL	3080	3017	3039	3160	3148	3168	3186	3206	3229	3237	3239				

*Data not seasonally adjusted. **Effective with the Jan, 1985 report, the Chicago Area is redefined from an SMSA to the PMSA's of Chicago, Lake, Aurora and Joliet.
p - preliminary, r - revised. March, 1983 benchmark date for Chicago SMSA; March, 1984 benchmark date for other annual and monthly statistics. Totals may not add to sum of industries due to rounding.
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

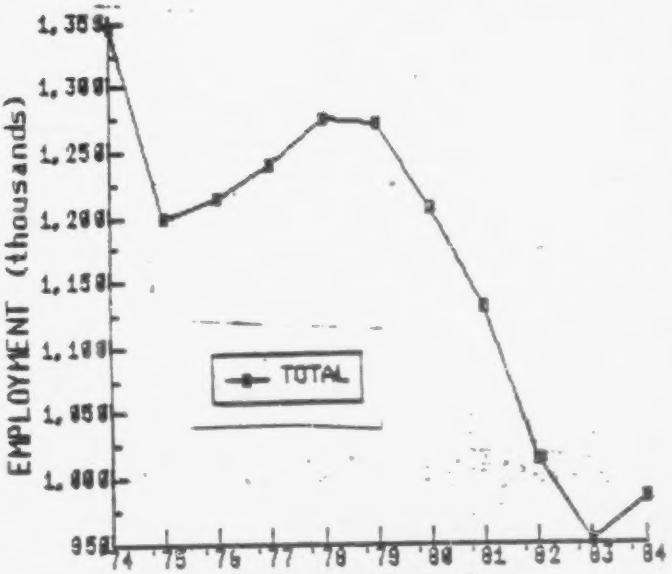
EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY IN MSA'S *
SEPTEMBER, 1984 AND 1985

(thousands)

Industry	Bloomington/ Normal		Champaign/ Urbana/Rantoul		Davenport/ Rock Island/ Moline		Decatur		Kankakee		Peoria		Rockford		Springfield	
	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985
Construction	1.3	1.5	1.7	1.7	5.0	5.2	1.8	1.7	1.3	1.1	6.0	6.3	3.6	3.9	2.7	3.0
Manufacturing	5.4	5.0	7.0	7.2	32.2	31.3	15.7	15.0	5.5	5.3	34.6	30.6	45.1	44.7	5.0	3.8
Durable goods	3.3	3.0	2.2	2.3	25.4	23.3	8.6	8.1	2.5	2.6	29.0	24.8	38.9	38.3	2.8	1.7
Nondurable goods	2.1	2.0	4.8	4.9	6.8	8.0	7.1	6.9	3.0	2.7	5.6	5.8	6.2	6.4	2.2	2.1
Trans & Public Utilities	3.2	3.1	2.5	2.4	8.0	8.1	3.9	3.9	1.1	1.2	6.6	6.6	4.4	4.3	4.1	4.2
Wholesale Trade	2.3	2.2	3.6	3.7	9.7	9.7	1.6	1.5	1.8	1.9	6.9	6.8	5.7	5.7	3.5	3.6
Retail Trade	10.1	10.2	14.7	14.8	29.3	29.1	9.1	9.6	5.8	5.8	24.8	24.9	19.1	19.1	14.2	14.1
Finance, Ins. & Real Estate	8.5	8.6	2.5	2.6	7.2	7.3	2.7	2.6	1.4	1.5	6.4	6.5	4.4	4.6	7.6	7.7
Services	9.7	10.2	12.5	13.1	26.8	27.4	9.0	9.6	6.9	7.7	28.7	30.0	21.0	22.3	19.2	20.2
Government	11.1	11.2	30.3	30.8	26.9	27.3	5.5	5.6	7.2	6.7	15.7	15.9	9.8	11.8	30.3	31.0
Total Non-agricultural employment	51.6	52.0	74.8	76.3	145.1	145.4	49.3	49.6	31.0	31.2	129.7	127.6	113.1	116.4	86.8	87.7

Data are not seasonally adjusted.
*Excludes Chicago, St. Louis, Aurora-Elgin, Joliet and Lake County. March, 1984 benchmark date.
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

ILLINOIS MANUFACTURING EMPLOYMENT



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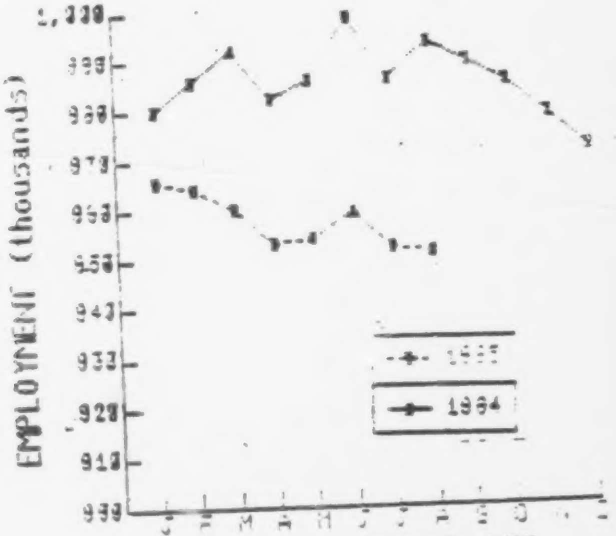

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(thousands)

	Manufacturing Employment			Total Percent Change	
Year	Durable	Non-Durable	Total	Ill.	U.S.
1969	923	478	1,417		
1970	875	468	1,359	-4.1	-4.0
1971	820	447	1,282	-5.7	-3.9
1972	845	439	1,285	0.2	2.8
1973	909	445	1,355	5.9	5.2
1974	904	441	1,345	-0.7	-0.3
1975	789	411	1,200	-10.8	-8.8
1976	796	419	1,215	1.3	3.7
1977	822	419	1,241	2.1	3.6
1978	847	429	1,276	2.8	4.2
1979	846	425	1,272	-0.3	2.6
1980	804	404	1,208	-5.0	-3.5
1981	751	381	1,131	-6.1	-0.6
1982r	643	370	1,013	-10.4	-6.6
1983r	584	372	956	-6.1	-0.9
1984r	614	372	986	3.4	

			Percent Change from 1 Year Ago	
Month	1984	1985	Ill.	U.S.
Jan	980	966	-1.4	3.0
Feb	986	964	-2.2	1.8
Mar	992	960	-3.2	1.3
Apr	982	953	-2.9	0.6
May	986	954	-3.4	0.2
June	998	959	-3.9	0.2
July	986	952	-4.0	-0.6
Aug	993	952	-4.1	
Sept	989	951	-3.8	
Oct	985			
Nov	978			
Dec	971			

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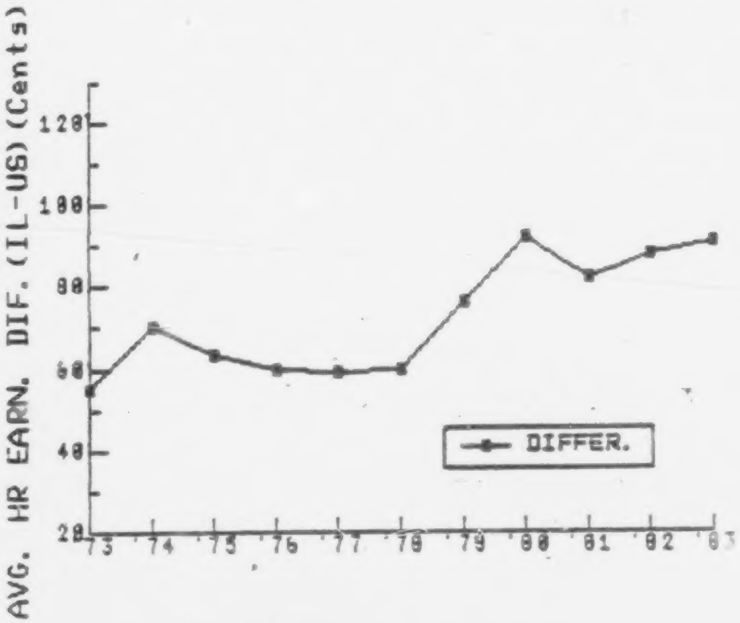
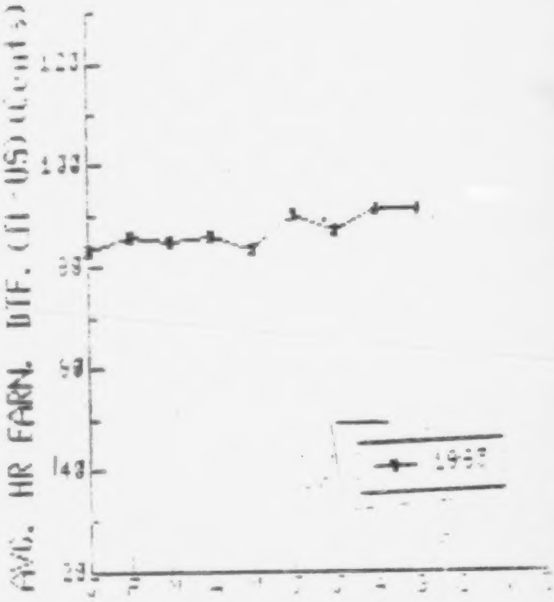
p - preliminary r - New March 1984 Benchmark revisions.
NOTE: Beginning in 1974, data are based on 1972 Standard Industrial Classification Manual.
*Data not seasonally adjusted.
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

ILLINOIS
HOURS AND EARNINGS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS IN MANUFACTURING





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Year	Average Weekly Hours	Average Weekly Wage	Average Hourly Earnings Ill.	Average Hourly Earnings U.S.
1970	40.3	147.03	3.65	3.36
1971	40.1	157.57	3.93	3.56
1972	41.0	175.55	4.28	3.82
1973	41.2	187.85	4.57	4.09
1974	40.4	200.69	4.97	4.42
1975	39.7	219.13	5.53	4.83
1976	40.4	236.11	5.85	5.22
1977	40.6	254.91	6.28	5.68
1978	40.1	271.42	6.76	6.17
1979	40.7	296.66	7.30	6.70
1980	39.8	320.15	8.04	7.28
1981	40.0	356.33	8.91	7.99
1982	39.2	364.86	9.32	8.50
1983	40.6	393.59	9.70	8.82
1984	41.0	412.98	10.08	9.17
1985				9.52**
1986				9.93**
1987				10.47**

MONTH* 1985

Month	Average Weekly Hours	Average Weekly Wage	Average Hourly Earnings Ill.	Average Hourly Earnings U.S.
Jan	40.4	$414.10	$10.25	$9.43
Feb	39.6	407.09	10.28	9.43
Mar	40.5	417.15	10.30	9.45
Apr	40.3	416.30	10.33	9.48
May	40.2	416.07	10.35	9.48
June	40.7	423.28	10.40	9.50
July	40.2	417.68	10.39	9.52
Aug	40.4	420.56	10.41	9.50
Sept	40.8	426.36	10.45	9.54
Oct				9.54
Nov				
Dec				

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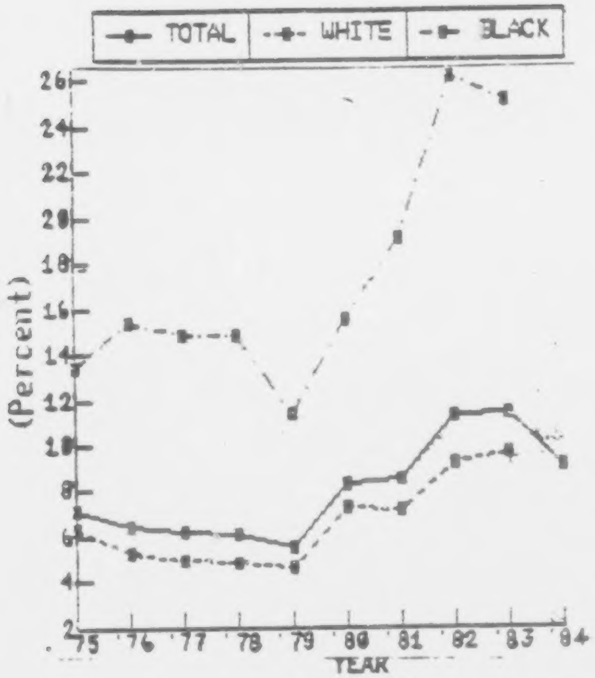
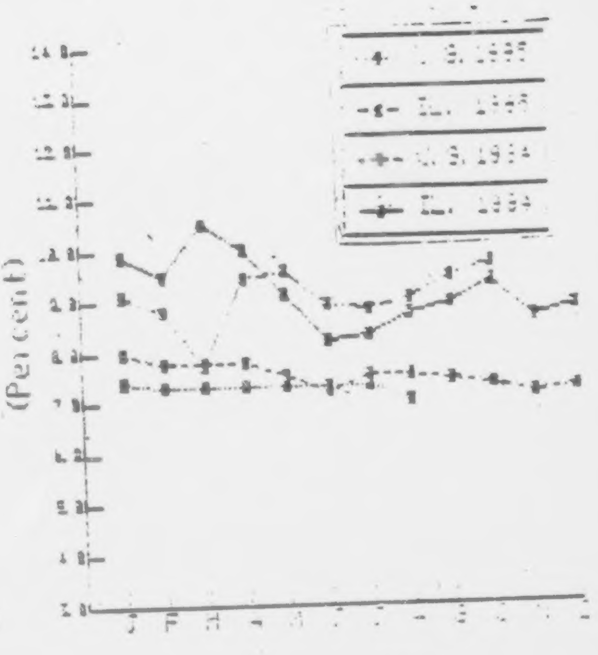
*Data not seasonally adjusted.

**Chase Econometrics Forecast (OCTOBER).

SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security. March, 1984 Benchmark.

ILLINOIS UNEMPLOYMENT RATE





PERCENT

	ILLINOIS			U.S.		
Annual	Total	White	Black	Total	White	Black
1970	3.6	3.4	5.9	5.0	4.5	8.2
1971	5.1	4.5	10.2	5.9	5.4	9.9
1972	5.1	4.4	11.0	5.6	5.0	10.0
1973	4.1	3.4	9.6	4.8	4.3	8.9
1974	4.2	NA	NA	5.6	5.0	9.9
1975	7.1	6.3	13.4	8.5	7.8	13.9
1976	6.5	5.3	15.4	7.7	7.0	13.1
1977	6.2	5.0	14.8	7.1	6.2	13.1
1978	6.1	4.8	14.8	6.1	5.2	11.9
1979	5.5	4.6	11.4	5.8	5.1	11.3
1980	8.3	7.3	15.5	7.1	6.3	13.1
1981	8.5	7.1	19.1	7.6	6.7	15.6
1982	11.3	9.2	26.2	9.7	8.6	18.9
1983	11.4	9.6	25.1	9.6	8.4	19.5
1984	9.1	7.5	21.1	7.5	6.5	15.9
1985				7.2, 7.2**		
1986				7.2, 7.4**		
1987				7.6, 7.4**		

TOTAL

	ILLINOIS		U.S.	
Month	1985*	Seasonally Adjusted 1985	1985*	Seasonally Adjusted 1985
Jan	9.8	9.1	8.0	7.4
Feb	9.4	8.8	7.8	7.3
Mar	8.1	7.7	7.5	7.3
Apr	9.3	9.4	7.1	7.3
May	9.4	9.6	7.0	7.3
June	9.4	8.9	7.5	7.3
July	8.9	8.8	7.4	7.3
Aug	8.8	9.0	6.9	7.0
Sept	8.9	9.4		7.1
Oct	9.2	9.7		7.1
Nov				
Dec				

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*Data not seasonally adjusted.

**Chase Econometrics Forecast (OCTOBER), Data Resources Forecast (NOVEMBER).

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Labor.

ILLINOIS UNEMPLOYMENT RATE* IN MSA's**

	Average Annual	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
BLOOMINGTON-NORMAL: MSA													
1981	6.1	7.9	6.9	7.0	6.0	6.2	6.1	6.0	5.8	5.2	5.0	5.4	6.2
1982	7.9	6.8	7.3	8.2	8.0	7.0	8.3	7.6	8.4	8.2	8.1	8.4	8.7
1983	7.8	9.4	9.7	8.6	8.1	8.1	8.5	8.1	7.8	6.2	6.2	6.1	7.3
1984	6.7	7.9	7.3	8.1	6.9	6.4	6.5	6.3	6.4	5.7	6.1	6.2	6.4
1985		7.4	7.1	5.9	6.8	6.5	6.3	5.7	5.6^r	5.3			
CHAMPAIGN-URBANA-RANTOUL: MSA													
1981	5.9	7.1	5.9	6.6	5.4	6.1	6.5	5.7	5.6	5.1	5.6	5.6	5.5
1982	5.7	5.2	5.0	5.1	4.9	5.3	5.8	6.3	6.2	5.8	5.7	6.2	6.4
1983	6.5	7.4	7.3	6.7	6.7	6.8	7.5	6.9	7.1	5.3	5.3	5.6	6.0
1984	6.0	7.3	6.7	7.1	6.2	6.0	5.9	5.6	5.7	5.3	5.2	5.5	5.4
1985		6.3	5.9	4.8	5.4	5.7	5.7	5.6	5.2	4.8			
CHICAGO AREA:													
1981	8.1	9.2	8.1	8.7	7.8	7.7	8.0	7.5	7.9	8.0	8.0	8.1	8.3
1982	10.6	9.4	9.4	9.6	9.6	10.1	11.1	11.5	10.8	11.4	11.1	11.5	11.2
1983	10.5	12.1	12.5	11.4	10.9	10.9	11.8	10.8	10.5	9.2	8.7	8.5	8.5
1984	8.3	9.4	8.8	9.4	8.6	8.1	8.3	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.3	7.4	7.6
1985		8.2	8.0	6.9	8.1	8.0	8.0	7.6^r	7.3^r	7.4			
DAVENPORT-ROCK ISLAND-MOLINE: MSA (Illinois portion)													
1981	9.1	9.8	8.3	8.6	7.8	9.6	8.4	7.4	8.9	9.1	9.5	11.0	11.0
1982	15.8	16.4	11.5	12.2	13.7	12.4	15.2	16.8	15.9	19.8	19.6	20.7	20.7
1983	16.9	21.8	19.9	17.6	17.2	17.1	18.5	16.9	16.0	14.5	14.2	14.5	14.0
1984	14.0	16.6	15.3	12.8	13.6	12.3	12.0	12.0	11.4	13.0	13.6	15.7	17.4
1985		18.7	14.6	11.4	12.3	11.9	11.7	11.1	13.2^r	11.8			
DECATUR: MSA													
1981	11.2	12.9	11.3	11.8	11.1	11.1	10.8	10.1	9.9	10.5	11.3	11.6	11.5
1982	15.6	12.3	12.3	12.9	11.8	17.7	15.4	16.1	19.2	16.2	16.5	18.3	17.7
1983	14.9	18.7	19.0	16.5	16.3	16.6	16.5	15.2	13.8	12.1	11.3	11.4	11.3
1984	10.3	12.9	12.0	12.6	10.4	9.6	9.4	10.2	9.3	9.6	9.4	9.2	9.1
1985		10.7	10.5	9.5	10.9	10.9	10.7	10.4^r	10.7	10.8			
PEORIA: MSA													
1981	8.4	10.8	9.7	10.9	8.4	8.3	8.1	6.8	7.0	6.9	7.4	8.3	8.4
1982	13.9	9.8	10.7	10.7	11.4	11.9	16.1	16.2	14.9	16.1	16.8	18.3	17.5
1983	16.0	18.4	19.3	17.5	16.4	16.1	18.4	16.6	15.9	14.2	13.3	12.9	12.7
1984	11.3	14.5	13.4	13.7	12.4	11.2	11.0	10.6	10.1	9.7	10.1	9.3	9.7
1985		12.0	11.7	10.3	11.8	11.6	11.4	11.2	10.7^r	10.6			
ROCKFORD: MSA													
1981	10.1	12.4	10.7	11.2	9.2	9.0	9.7	8.3	9.1	8.9	9.1	12.7	10.6
1982	16.5	11.9	15.3	12.3	15.1	18.8	19.3	19.3	18.5	16.0	20.6	21.3	17.5
1983	14.2	20.0	17.1	16.2	15.2	14.3	15.2	13.7	12.8	11.1	10.8	13.6	10.3
1984	9.4	11.4	10.8	11.1	10.0	9.0	8.9	8.6	8.5	8.9	9.0	8.3	8.7
1985		10.2	10.1	8.8	10.3	10.2	10.1	9.8	9.3	10.0			
SPRINGFIELD: MSA													
1981	6.7	8.4	7.2	7.2	6.4	6.5	6.7	6.2	5.9	6.1	6.2	6.5	6.8
1982	7.7	8.3	7.7	7.1	6.5	6.7	7.4	7.4	6.7	7.8	7.9	9.4	9.8
1983	8.3	9.7	10.3	9.8	9.0	8.8	9.2	8.1	7.9	6.7	6.6	6.6	7.4
1984	7.0	8.3	7.7	8.3	7.5	6.7	6.8	6.6	6.2	6.3	6.8	6.0	6.6
1985		7.8	7.4	6.0	6.5	6.4	6.5	6.4	6.0	6.4			
ST. LOUIS: MSA (Illinois portion)													
1981	10.1	11.3	11.0	11.5	10.0	9.9	10.5	8.9	9.6	9.4	10.2	10.1	9.4
1982	12.2	11.1	11.7	11.3	10.8	10.9	12.2	12.8	11.7	12.9	12.4	13.2	13.5
1983	12.4	14.7	14.8	13.0	12.2	12.4	14.0	13.0	12.6	11.2	10.4	10.4	10.5
1984	10.6	12.8	12.1	12.6	11.2	10.3	10.1	10.0	10.2	9.8	10.2	8.8	9.5
1985		11.6	11.2	9.2	10.4	10.6	11.2	10.0	9.7^r	9.3			

NOTE: For Kankakee and Lake County PMSA data see county. *Data not seasonally adjusted.
SOURCE: Illinois Dept. of Employment Security. p - preliminary / r - revised new benchmark
**Data for years prior to 1985 are for standard metropolitan statistical areas. Chicago Area for 1985 is defined as an average of rates for the PMSA's of Chicago, Lake, Aurora and Joliet.

ILLINOIS
AVERAGE UNEMPLOYMENT RATE

				1985											
COUNTY	1982r	1983r	1984	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept p	Oct p	Nov	Dec
Adams	12.6	14.6	11.0	10.8	11.2	9.6	10.5	11.7	11.9	12.7	11.2	12.3	11.7		
Alexander	20.3	21.6	25.7	27.3	26.9	23.8	23.6	24.6	26.5	25.7	24.7	24.1	23.1		
Bond	11.6	13.3	11.9	15.9	14.5	12.5	13.0	12.3	12.7	12.4	11.4	10.5	11.3		
Boone	17.9	13.5	7.9	9.7	9.9	9.3	10.6	11.3	10.0	9.6	9.2	10.2	10.9		
Brown	8.3	8.2	9.6	12.9	13.9	11.3	11.4	9.5	10.1	7.3	8.3	7.1	7.1		
Bureau	12.9	12.4	9.8	13.0	12.1	10.4	11.5	10.8	10.1	10.2	9.2	8.3	8.2		
Calhoun	19.5	24.1	21.5	26.2	28.1	24.6	22.8	16.3	17.8	16.2	16.9	15.0	16.2		
Carroll	8.5	10.2	6.1	13.2	13.5	11.7	12.2	10.9	9.5	8.0	7.9	9.2	10.9		
Cass	8.0	11.5	9.8	11.0	11.0	9.4	8.8	7.7	7.4	7.9	9.0	9.2	10.1		
Champaign	5.6	7.0	6.0	6.3	5.9	4.8	5.4	5.7	5.7	5.6	5.2	4.7	4.9		
Christian	11.1	13.2	10.9	11.7	10.6	9.3	10.1	10.2	10.0	9.9	9.4	9.9	9.0		
Clark	14.8	16.0	15.9	20.7	22.9	19.3	19.7	15.5	15.0	13.7	13.5	12.5	12.9		
Clay	13.6	17.3	15.2	17.2	16.8	16.5	17.5	14.7	14.8	14.4	14.3	14.7	14.0		
Clinton	11.8	12.0	10.9	12.9	13.3	10.5	10.6	10.5	11.9	9.0	10.2	9.2	9.9		
Coles	10.0	10.6	8.2	9.0	9.3	9.2	10.0	9.2	9.7	10.7	9.5	7.9	8.1		
Cook	9.7	10.5	8.6	8.6	8.2	7.2	8.5	9.1	9.0	8.7	8.5	8.8	9.1		
Crawford	12.7	14.8	13.5	18.6	18.7	16.5	18.0	17.0	16.2	13.9	14.0	15.5	15.0		
Cumberland	11.7	15.4	13.3	15.0	15.4	13.1	13.6	10.3	10.6	11.6	11.0	9.8	9.4		
DeKalb	8.8	9.4	6.7	7.9	7.7	6.5	7.1	7.6	6.8	7.1	6.6	6.7	7.3		
DeWitt	10.8	12.4	10.0	12.8	13.3	12.2	12.9	12.8	12.6	11.4	9.4	9.9	9.7		
Douglas	7.3	10.8	7.8	10.0	10.3	8.3	9.4	9.7	8.9	9.6	10.4	9.5	8.2		
DuPage	7.1	8.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	5.2	6.0	6.0	6.1	5.8	5.7	5.8	6.1		
Edgar	11.7	15.0	15.7	16.3	18.6	19.5	18.3	16.1	18.7	17.4	16.7	16.6	15.5		
Edwards	9.1	11.0	11.1	12.1	14.0	13.9	15.3	14.5	12.6	11.5	10.9	11.2	11.9		
Effingham	11.3	11.6	10.7	11.9	12.4	10.9	10.9	9.8	10.1	9.9	10.3	13.2	10.3		
Fayette	12.0	14.6	16.4	18.0	18.0	16.1	16.6	14.7	14.0	13.1	12.6	12.9	12.7		
Ford	8.1	12.1	9.8	10.0	9.9	8.4	9.3	8.6	7.3	7.3	6.4	6.4	6.3		
Franklin	15.8	19.6	16.6	16.7	15.1	12.9	16.3	15.9	16.3	16.2	17.1	17.7	17.1		
Fulton	14.1	17.3	14.9	17.2	16.2	14.0	13.7	12.5	11.4	11.1	11.1	11.0	12.5		
Gallatin	19.7	20.3	19.4	21.8	21.4	19.2	19.4	17.8	17.1	15.5	16.0	17.2	16.4		
Greene	11.6	13.3	10.8	13.1	13.5	11.1	12.0	11.3	10.7	9.8	9.7	10.6	9.4		
Grundy	8.5	14.1	9.8	10.7	10.7	9.8	10.8	10.9	10.8	10.5	9.7	9.1	9.8		
Hamilton	13.6	20.2	18.9	23.1	23.6	22.5	23.4	18.5	19.6	16.4	17.7	16.6	15.5		
Hancock	9.3	11.6	10.2	13.5	13.4	10.3	10.5	9.6	9.4	9.0	8.3	8.1	10.6		
Hardin	23.9	21.6	18.0	20.6	19.5	14.6	17.8	16.9	18.4	17.5	17.7	19.5	20.7		
Henderson	10.6	14.9	12.2	23.5	20.2	12.9	13.3	12.0	10.4	9.5	9.6	8.9	10.5		
Henry	14.3	16.3	12.9	17.8	14.0	10.9	12.0	11.2	11.2	10.5	12.9	11.6	12.3		
Iroquois	7.8	11.0	8.9	10.2	10.5	9.4	9.1	8.5	9.0	8.4	8.7	7.7	8.1		
Jackson	9.2	9.6	8.7	10.1	8.9	8.2	8.6	8.7	8.9	8.2	8.3	7.6	8.4		
Jasper	11.5	12.9	12.5	13.3	13.4	11.4	13.7	12.9	16.8	11.8	16.7	11.8	10.1		
Jefferson	13.6	16.2	13.6	15.2	15.0	12.6	14.2	14.6	15.0	13.7	13.3	13.1	13.7		
Jersey	14.7	14.3	12.8	13.7	14.2	12.0	13.4	12.4	13.2	11.5	11.1	11.1	11.8		
Jo Daviess	10.2	11.5	8.8	11.5	11.6	11.1	12.2	8.6	7.7	7.4	8.2	9.1	9.7		
Johnson	13.2	15.8	17.7	19.1	20.4	16.0	16.5	15.7	15.3	13.4	12.7	12.0	12.2		
Kane	12.3	10.7	7.9	8.5	8.8	7.5	9.3	8.6	8.3	7.8	7.3	7.5	7.6		
Kankakee	16.2	15.4	12.2	13.6	12.7	10.9	11.6	11.9	12.8	11.9	11.1	11.0	11.6		
Kendall	7.6	9.9	6.6	7.5	7.9	6.9	10.0	7.4	7.2	7.3	6.4	6.1	6.2		
Knox	14.8	14.8	13.1	25.6	17.3	14.9	15.1	13.2	12.6	12.6	14.6	15.1	16.3		
Lake	8.6	7.7	6.1	6.6	6.3	5.4	6.1	6.1	6.2	5.8	5.6	5.7	5.8		
LaSalle	15.2	15.1	12.7	15.6	15.2	13.8	16.9	14.4	13.3	12.6	12.3	12.0	12.6		
Lawrence	11.5	13.5	12.6	16.3	17.9	16.1	19.1	15.9	17.4	16.4	18.6	20.1	19.4		
Lee	9.6	15.5	11.3	11.6	11.3	10.3	11.8	10.7	10.4	10.3	8.9	9.0	9.7		

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SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security

ILLINOIS
AVERAGE UNEMPLOYMENT RATE

				1985											
COUNTY	1982^{r}	1983^{r}	1984	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May^{r}	June^{r}	July^{p}	Aug	Sept^{p}	Oct^{p}	Nov	Dec
Livingston	9.1	10.8	8.8	10.4	10.8	10.7	11.3	9.7	8.8	8.0	7.6	8.0	7.8		
Logan	10.6	13.3	9.6	14.4	11.1	9.3	10.7	10.5	9.8	9.7	7.9	7.9	8.8		
Macon	15.5	14.7	10.3	10.7	10.5	9.5	10.9	10.9	10.7	10.4	10.7	10.8	11.1		
Macoupin	11.6	14.1	10.8	12.8	13.0	11.2	12.0	11.4	11.5	10.7	10.6	10.7	11.0		
Madison	13.4	13.8	10.9	12.0	11.5	9.2	10.5	11.1	11.4	10.3	10.1	10.0	10.2		
Marion	12.6	15.7	13.2	14.5	14.5	13.1	13.7	13.5	13.2	12.9	12.7	13.4	13.4		
Marshall	9.7	13.8	9.8	10.9	11.8	10.3	12.1	10.5	10.2	11.6	10.1	9.8	8.7		
Mason	11.5	15.3	10.7	12.6	12.7	10.9	11.4	10.5	11.3	10.5	11.6	10.5	10.7		
Massac	19.1	17.2	15.2	16.8	16.7	13.1	15.0	14.9	14.9	14.2	14.4	12.8	13.3		
McDonough	10.0	12.3	11.1	12.8	10.2	8.5	9.2	9.3	10.9	10.7	11.6	9.9	10.0		
McHenry	8.9	9.6	7.3	9.4	9.6	8.2	8.8	8.4	8.4	7.9	7.3	7.8	7.6		
McLean	7.9	8.1	6.7	7.4	7.1	5.9	6.8	6.5	6.3	5.7	5.6	5.1	5.5		
Menard	7.0	7.8	6.0	8.0	7.4	6.2	6.1	5.3	5.5	5.2	5.9	7.1	7.8		
Mercer	11.4	14.9	14.1	21.2	17.9	13.7	13.2	11.3	10.4	9.8	11.3	9.0	11.2		
Monroe	9.9	10.0	9.4	11.8	11.7	9.1	8.3	8.4	9.4	8.1	7.4	7.5	7.7		
Montgomery	14.4	16.5	14.7	16.9	16.1	13.7	16.3	14.9	13.9	15.8	13.6	13.9	14.1		
Morgan	9.2	9.7	8.5	10.5	10.1	8.6	9.8	8.2	8.1	7.4	7.0	7.5	7.4		
Moultrie	10.8	13.5	8.6	11.2	11.3	9.6	9.4	8.4	7.9	7.9	7.1	6.0	5.9		
Ogle	10.2	12.6	9.4	11.1	11.7	10.1	11.1	10.0	9.7	10.5	8.5	8.2	10.5		
Peoria	14.3	16.4	11.3	11.8	11.4	10.2	11.5	11.6	11.4	11.3	10.9	10.9	11.4		
Perry	13.2	17.0	14.9	15.8	13.7	12.8	16.7	12.7	13.2	12.7	13.6	13.1	12.9		
Piatt	9.2	12.1	8.9	9.8	10.1	8.5	8.2	7.6	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.4	8.2		
Pike	10.8	14.2	13.9	15.7	16.3	13.6	15.9	13.8	12.7	11.3	10.8	9.4	10.4		
Pope	22.3	18.5	17.2	19.2	18.6	16.4	17.5	16.7	17.9	16.6	15.2	15.0	15.6		
Pulaski	17.5	18.6	22.0	23.0	22.3	19.3	21.1	24.0	24.8	25.0	25.3	21.1	21.8		
Putnam	15.4	15.3	11.0	16.9	15.3	14.0	14.9	12.1	11.2	10.7	9.1	9.6	10.9		
Randolph	10.0	12.6	10.5	10.4	10.6	9.3	9.6	9.5	9.8	8.6	7.8	8.0	8.5		
Richland	13.5	15.2	15.1	18.9	21.6	22.8	21.6	17.3	18.5	15.4	19.8	19.6	16.6		
Rock Isld	16.4	17.8	14.4	19.0	14.9	11.6	12.4	12.2	11.8	11.3	13.3	12.1	12.4		
St. Clair	11.6	12.3	10.2	10.9	10.5	8.7	10.1	10.2	10.9	9.8	9.3	9.1	9.3		
Saline	17.6	18.7	15.9	16.2	16.0	13.4	16.2	16.1	17.1	15.7	13.5	13.9	14.6		
Sangamon	7.7	8.4	7.1	7.8	7.4	6.0	6.6	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.0	6.2	6.5		
Schuyler	8.4	11.4	12.3	12.9	12.8	11.7	11.2	9.8	10.6	9.7	8.9	8.4	9.1		
Scott	10.4	10.8	9.5	14.3	14.4	12.4	9.7	8.6	8.1	7.7	7.3	7.2	6.9		
Shelby	16.8	18.1	12.8	16.3	15.8	13.5	14.0	12.0	11.8	11.4	11.0	11.2	11.2		
Stark	11.0	13.5	9.5	10.4	11.4	10.1	10.0	8.0	8.2	9.6	10.4	11.1	10.4		
Stephenson	10.8	9.8	7.6	9.6	10.0	8.5	9.4	9.2	9.9	10.1	10.9	10.9	11.0		
Tazewell	14.1	17.1	11.9	12.5	12.1	10.7	12.6	12.3	12.0	11.5	11.1	10.8	11.3		
Union	18.2	20.1	16.7	19.9	20.5	17.1	17.0	16.5	16.6	15.9	14.4	14.0	14.1		
Vermilion	16.3	15.2	13.0	15.3	14.7	13.1	15.4	14.8	15.4	13.6	12.3	13.8	12.1		
Wabash	11.9	12.7	10.4	12.1	15.5	12.0	13.4	13.0	12.7	11.3	14.2	10.8	11.5		
Warren	9.9	13.4	11.1	18.9	13.0	10.7	10.7	9.8	9.0	9.7	11.2	10.1	11.3		
Washington	9.9	13.3	12.1	14.2	14.4	11.6	11.8	9.5	10.5	8.9	9.6	9.5	8.8		
Wayne	12.2	14.4	16.4	21.1	21.8	20.8	21.3	18.4	17.9	16.5	17.2	15.9	16.5		
White	14.6	16.1	17.2	19.8	20.4	20.2	20.6	17.2	17.8	16.2	19.9	20.8	20.0		
Whiteside	16.2	19.2	12.2	14.7	13.0	11.0	13.7	14.2	12.0	12.6	11.3	12.2	12.4		
Will	12.9	12.9	8.6	9.1	8.9	7.3	8.4	8.5	8.6	8.5	7.9	7.8	8.0		
Williamson	17.1	18.4	17.4	23.0	18.7	17.7	21.2	20.6	19.5	17.6	16.7	16.1	16.2		
Winnebago	16.0	14.0	9.6	10.2	10.1	8.8	10.3	10.0	10.1	9.8	9.3	9.9	10.8		
Woodford	10.5	12.4	8.9	11.1	11.3	9.8	10.2	9.6	9.2	8.8	7.9	7.4	8.5		

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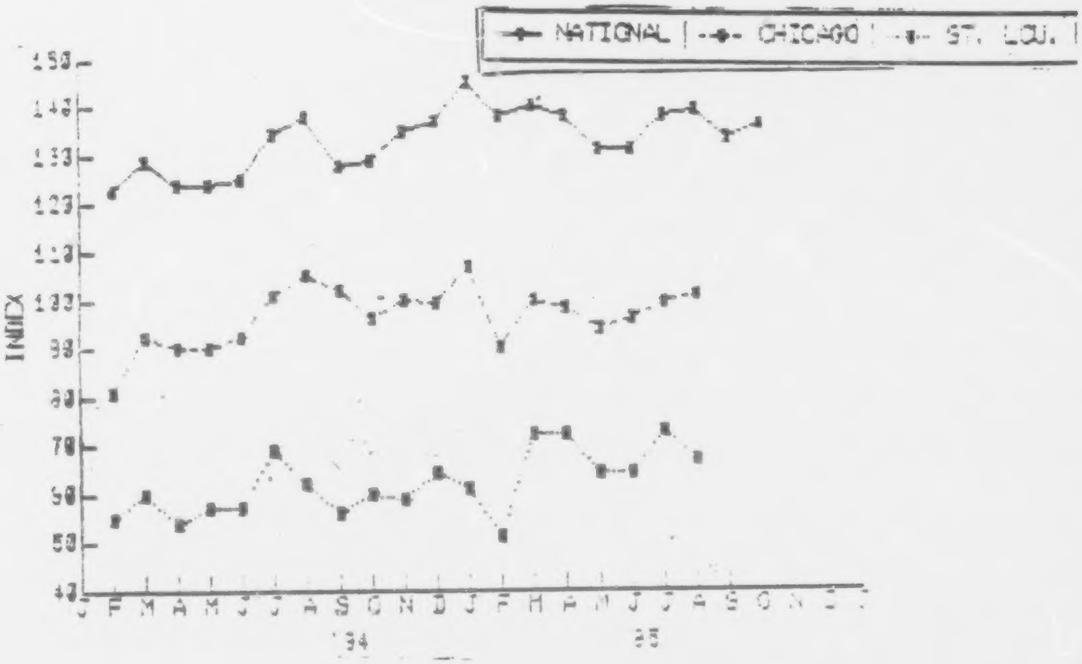
HELP-WANTED ADVERTISING INDEXES



HELP-WANTED ADVERTISING INDEXES* -
(Seasonally Adjusted, 1967=100)

Area		J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
National Index (51 Papers)	1984	123	129	124	124	125	134	138	128	129	135	137	145
	1985	138	140	138	131	131	138	139	133	136			
East North Central (10 Papers)	1984	70	76	71	73	73	81	85	79	78	82	84	94
	1985	83	88	88	83	85	90	89					
Chicago	1984	81	92	90	90	92	101	105	102	96	100	99	107
	1985	90	100	98	94	96	99	101					
St. Louis**	1984	55	60	54	57	57	69	62	56	60	59	64	61
	1985	51	72r	72r	64	64	73	67					

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*The monthly classified help-wanted advertising total for one newspaper in each of 51 cities is used as the basis for city indexes and the national index is a composite of all 51 city indexes.

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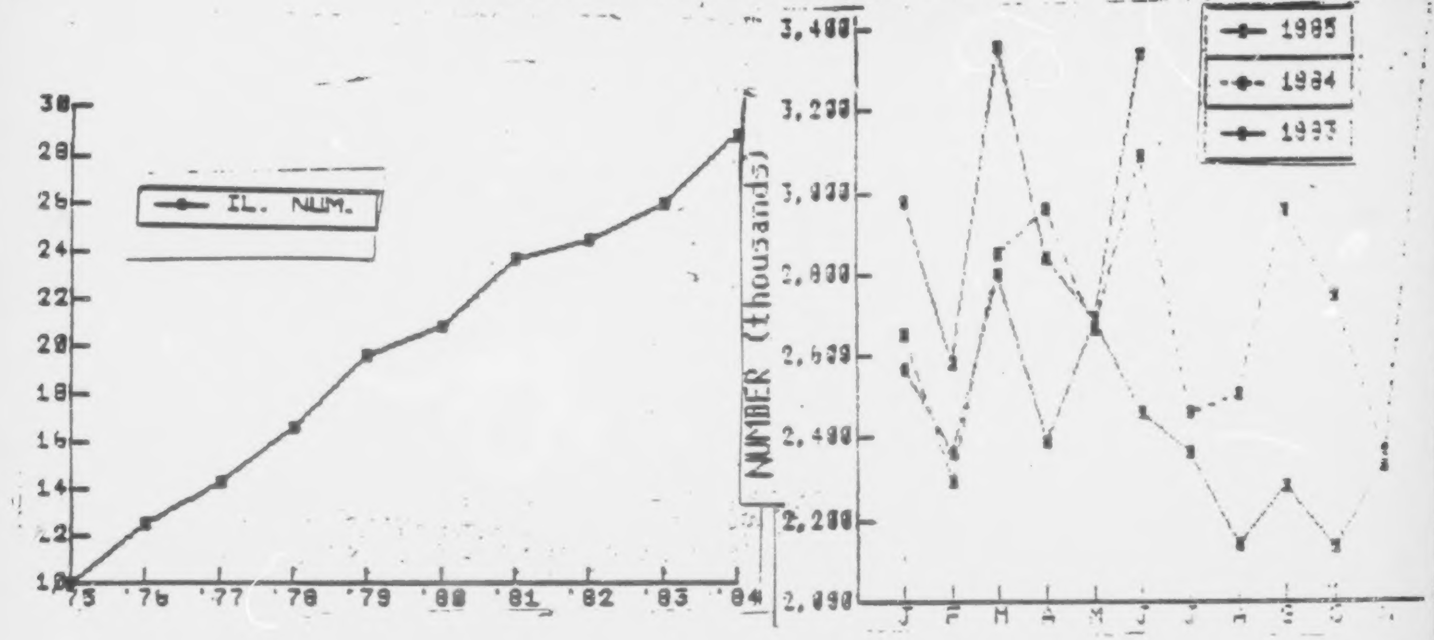
**St. Louis is in the West North Central region.

SOURCE: The Conference Board.

ILLINOIS NEW BUSINESS INCORPORATIONS



ANNUAL

Year	Ill. Number	Percent Change	
		ILL.	U.S.
1970	8,585	1.5	-3.6
1971	10,116	17.8	9.1
1972	12,106	19.7	10.1
1973	12,376	2.2	3.8
1974	11,720	-5.3	-3.0
1975	14,022	19.6	2.2
1976	16,573	18.2	15.3
1977	18,291	10.4	16.1
1978	20,638	12.8	9.6
1979	23,559	14.2	9.7
1980	24,804	5.3	1.7
1981	27,632	11.4	9.0
1982	28,469	3.0	-2.5
1983	29,952	5.2	5.9
1984	32,948	10.0	5.8

MONTH*

Month	1983	1984	1985	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago	
				ILL.	U.S.
Jan	2,570	2,649	2,977	12.4	5.4
Feb	2,362	2,295	2,584	12.6	-3.3
Mar	2,801	2,251	3,358	17.8	0.9
Apr	2,392	2,961	2,837	-4.2	8.4
May	2,686	2,667	2,688	0.8	9.8
June	2,460	3,087	3,336	8.1	-1.9
July	2,365	2,459			
Aug	2,142	2,507			
Sept	2,283	2,951			
Oct	2,135	2,740			
Nov	2,325	2,366			
Dec	3,430	3,415			
CUMULATIVE THRU LATEST MO.				7.7%	2.8%

*Data not seasonally adjusted.

REGIONAL COMPOSITION

Percent of Total

Region	1977	1979	1981	1982	1983	1984
New England	4.8	4.5	4.8	4.7	4.8	5.0
Middle Atlantic	19.1	17.2	16.5	16.8	17.5	17.7
E. North Central	13.4	13.3	13.0	13.2	13.1	13.3
W. North Central	6.4	6.2	5.5	5.2	5.4	5.2
South Atlantic	21.8	21.9	22.8	23.2	24.1	24.8
E. South Central	4.3	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8
W. South Central	9.5	11.6	11.9	13.1	11.5	9.9
Mountain	6.9	6.9	7.5	7.1	7.2	7.3
Pacific	13.8	14.6	14.2	13.0	12.6	13.0
U.S.	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

SOURCE: Dun & Bradstreet, Inc.

BANKRUPTCY FILINGS BY DISTRICT AND TYPE

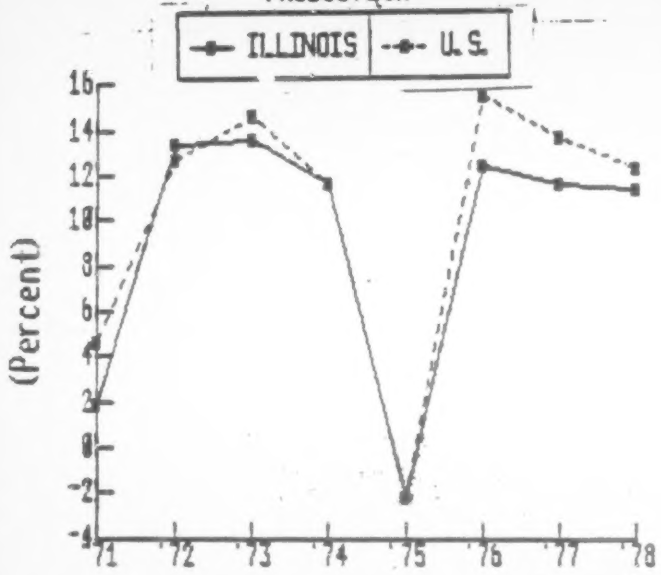
		1980	1981	1982	1983	1984
NORTHERN DISTRICT						
Chicago:	Business	2,180	1,615	2,123	2,075	1,876
	Non-Business	16,232	14,503	15,374	14,618	14,869
	TOTAL	18,412	16,118	17,497	16,693	16,745
Rockford:	Business	197	83	109	124	136
	Non-Business	1,281	1,064	1,061	1,005	1,125
	TOTAL	1,478	1,147	1,170	1,129	1,261
CENTRAL DISTRICT						
Peoria:	Business	366	269	394	415	500
	Non-Business	2,169	1,427	1,661	1,765	2,077
	TOTAL	2,535	1,696	2,055	2,180	2,577
Springfield:	Business	337	311	333	350	442
	Non-Business	1,955	1,569	1,521	1,316	1,265
	TOTAL	2,292	1,880	1,854	1,666	1,707
Danville:	Business	118	113	152	152	157
	Non-Business	1,051	830	885	942	812
	TOTAL	1,169	943	1,037	1,094	969
SOUTHERN DISTRICT						
E. St. Louis:	Business	343	263	389	438	534
	Non-Business	2,115	1,909	1,313	1,203	1,194
	TOTAL	2,458	2,172	1,702	1,641	1,728
STATEWIDE:	Business	3541	2654	3500	3554	3,645
	Non-Business	24,803	21,302	21,815	20,849	21,342
	TOTAL	28,344	23,956	25,315	24,403	24,987

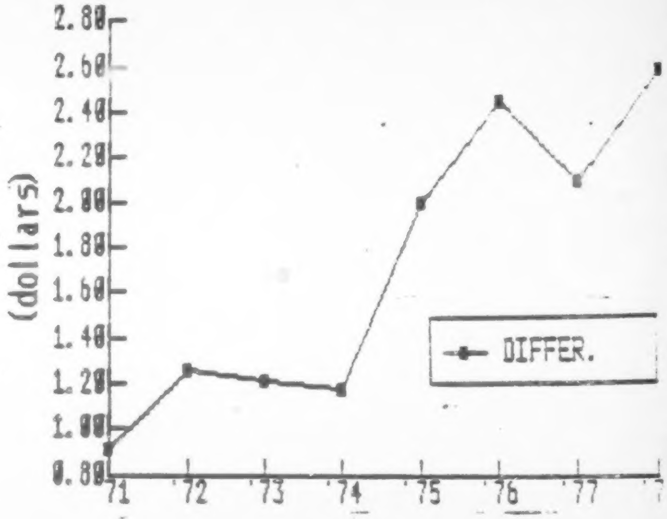
1985

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
NORTHERN DISTRICT												
Business	145	162	175	163	157	171	178	152	171			
Non-Business	1327	1307	1456	1404	1369	1331	1457	1630	1630			
CENTRAL DISTRICT												
Business	122	109	121	121	149	123	96	118	119			
Non-Business	304	362	419	442	458	379	405	381	389			
SOUTHERN DISTRICT												
Business	45	50	65	48	53	34	59	56	37			
Non-Business	95	96	102	131	110	104	121	141	128			
TOTAL	2038	2086	2338	2309	2296	2142	2316	2478	2474			

SOURCE: U.S. District Courts.

ILLINOIS
MANUFACTURING PRODUCTION AND PRODUCTIVITY


PRODUCTION


PRODUCTIVITY*
(Ill. minus U.S.)

Year	———PRODUCTION——— VALUE ADDED (million)	PERCENT CHANGE Ill.	PERCENT CHANGE U.S.	Inventories Ill. End of Year (million)	-PRODUCTIVITY*- Ill.	-PRODUCTIVITY*- U.S.	——U.S. MANUFACTURING—— Industrial Production Index (1977=100)	——U.S. MANUFACTURING—— Capacity Utilization Rate^r (Percent)
1970	$22,379	—	—	$7,215	$12.14	$11.26	77.0	79.2
1971	22,790	1.8	4.6	7,388	13.34	12.43	78.2	77.4
1972	25,849	13.4	12.7	7,854	14.52	13.26	86.4	82.8
1973	29,357	13.6	14.6	NA	15.65	14.44	94.0	87.0
1974	32,800	11.7	11.6	11,599	17.79	16.61	92.6	82.6
1975	32,089	-2.2	-2.2	11,198	20.38	18.38	83.4	72.3
1976	36,085	12.5	15.6	11,952	22.62	20.17	91.9	77.4
1977	40,279	11.6	13.7	13,028	24.02	21.93	100.0	81.4
1978	44,854	11.4	12.3	13,949	26.31	23.74	107.1	84.2
1979	NA						111.5	84.6
1980	NA						108.2	79.3
1981	NA			19,046			110.5	78.3
1982	47,688			17,394	37.93		102.2	70.3
1983							110.2	74.0
1984							123.9	80.8
1985								
1986								

--U.S. MANUFACTURING-- (SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)

MONTHLY DATA	Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Industrial Prod. Index	'83	102.4	103.5	104.9	106.3	107.9	109.0	111.2	113.1	115.2	115.9	116.2	116.8
	'84	119.6	121.0	122.0	122.8	123.2	124.1	125.4	125.9	125.6	125.5	126.0	125.8
	'85	121.2	125.2	126.4	125.9	126.6	127.1	126.8	127.0	127.9	127.9		
Capacity Utilization Rate (%)	'83	69.5	70.1	70.9	71.8	72.6	73.2	74.6	75.7	76.9	77.3	77.3	77.6
	'84^r	79.2	80.0	80.4	80.7	80.7	81.1	81.7	81.8	81.3	81.1	81.2	80.9
	'85	80.7	80.4	80.5	80.5	80.3	80.0	80.0	80.3	80.0			

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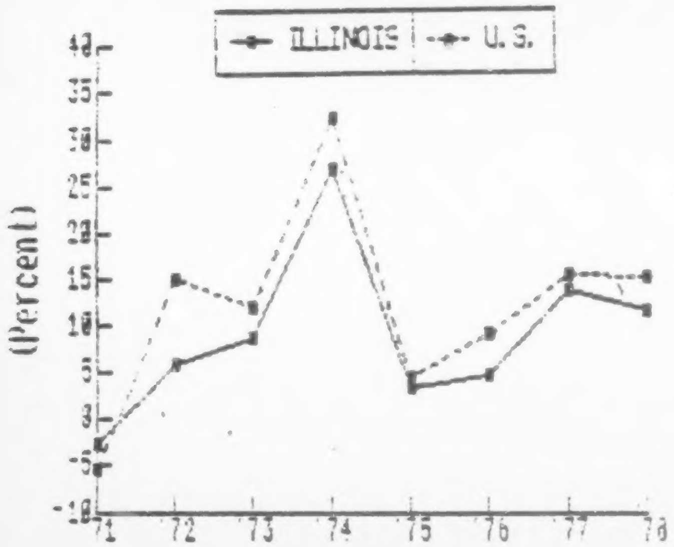
*Value of Production (Value Added) per manhour of work.

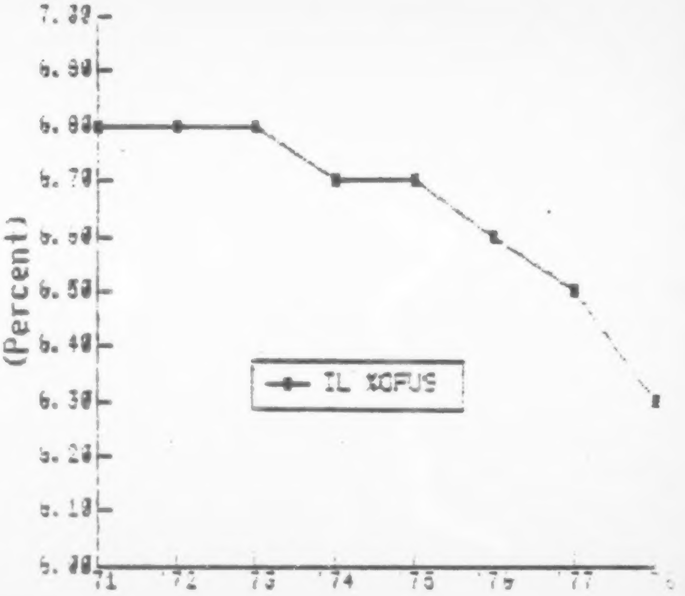
SOURCE: U.S. Department of Commerce, Federal Reserve System.

ILLINOIS CAPITAL IN MANUFACTURING

NEW CAPITAL EXPENDITURES
(Annual Percent Change)



GROSS BOOK VALUE OF DEPRECIABLE ASSETS
(Illinois as Percent of U.S.)



	(Millions of Dollars)					(Millions of Dollars)			
Year	Structures and Additions	Machinery and Equipment	Total	Total % Change Ill.	Total % Change U.S.	Structures and Buildings	Machinery and Equipment	Total	Illinois Percent of U.S.
1970	$402	$1,113	$1,515	—	—	$5,513	$12,849	$18,362	6.9
1971	448	1,028	1,476	-2.6	-9.2	5,796	13,165	18,962	6.8
1972	338	1,226	1,564	6.0	5.4	NA	NA	20,468*	6.8
1973	391*	1,308*	1,699	8.6	19.6	NA	NA	21,500*	6.8
1974	515	1,640	2,155	26.8	23.9	6,795	15,850	22,644	6.7
1975	494	1,734	2,229	3.4	2.3	7,172	17,486	24,658	6.7
1976	575	1,760	2,335	4.8	9.1	7,551	18,423	25,974	6.6
1977	531	2,131	2,662	14.0	15.3	8,029	20,298	28,327	6.5
1978	555	2,421	2,976	11.8	16.5	8,378	21,988	30,366	6.3
1979	NA	NA	NA	NA	22.1	NA	NA	NA	NA
1980	NA	NA	NA	NA	17.1	NA	NA	NA	NA
1981	NA	NA	NA	NA	12.7	9,819	27,649	37,468	
1982	556	2,815	3,371	NA	-4.6	10,095	29,160	39,255	
1983					-3.7				
1984					13.8				
1985**					10.5				

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*Estimate prepared by Illinois Department of Commerce and Community Affairs.

**Business plans to increase plant and equipment spending — U.S. Dept. of Commerce survey (AUGUST).

SOURCE: Annual Survey of Manufacturers, U.S. Department of Commerce.

INTEREST RATES
(Average Percent)

INSTRUMENT	1982	1983	1984	1985 Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Federal Funds	12.26	9.09	10.22	8.35	8.50	8.58	8.27	7.97	7.53	7.88	7.90	7.92	7.99		
Discount Rate (NY Fed.)	11.02	8.50	8.80	8.00	8.00	8.00	8.00	7.81	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50		
Prime Rate	14.86	11.16	12.04	10.61	10.50	10.50	10.50	10.31	9.78	9.50	9.50	9.50	9.50		
U.S. Treas. Bills (Secondary Market)															
3 month	10.61	8.61	9.52	7.76	8.27	8.52	7.95	7.48	6.95	7.08	7.18	7.10	7.16		
6 month	11.07	8.73	9.76	8.00	8.39	8.90	8.23	7.65	7.09	7.20	7.35	7.27	7.33		
Eurodollar Depos. (3 mo.)	13.12	9.56	10.73	8.38	9.03	9.31	8.73	8.11	7.62	7.90	8.03				
Bankers Accept. (90 day)	11.89	8.90	10.14	8.01	8.55	8.88	8.33	7.77	7.32	7.53	7.68	7.81	7.76		
Commercial Paper															
1 month	11.83	8.87	10.05	7.99	8.46	8.74	8.31	7.80	7.34	7.53	7.70	7.83	7.81		
3 month	11.89	8.88	10.10	8.03	8.54	8.90	8.37	7.83	7.35	7.40	7.56	7.83	7.80		
6 month	11.89	8.89	10.16	8.15	8.69	9.23	8.47	7.88	7.38	7.34	7.55	7.86	7.79		
Certificates of Deposit															
3 month	12.27	9.07	10.37	8.14	8.69	9.02	8.49	7.92	7.44	7.64	7.81	7.93	7.88		
6 month	12.57	9.27	10.68	8.45	9.04	9.60	8.75	8.08	7.58	7.80	7.97	8.09	7.97		
U.S. Treasury Bonds															
1 year	12.27	9.57	10.89	9.02	9.29	9.86	9.14	8.46	7.80	7.86	8.05	8.07	8.01		
3 year	12.92	10.45	11.89	10.43	10.55	11.05	10.49	9.75	9.05	9.18	9.31	9.37	9.25		
10 year	13.00	11.10	12.44	11.38	11.51	11.86	11.43	10.85	10.16	10.31	10.33	10.37	10.24		
State & Local Bonds															
Moody's Aaa	10.88	8.80	9.61	9.15	8.91	9.15	8.95	8.52	8.24						
"Bond Buyer" Series	11.66	9.51	10.10	9.51	9.65	9.77	9.42	9.01	8.69	8.81	9.08	9.27	9.08		
Corporate Bonds Aaa	13.79	12.04	12.71	12.08	12.13	12.56	12.23	11.72	10.94	10.97	11.05	11.07	11.02		
A - rated Utility Bond*	15.49	12.73	13.81	12.78	12.76	13.17	12.75	12.25	11.62	11.64	11.77	11.87	11.82		
Conventional Mortgages	16.08	13.43	13.87	13.08	12.92	13.17	13.20	12.91	12.22	12.03	12.19	12.19	12.14		
Dividend/Price Ratio															
Preferred Stocks	12.53	11.02	11.59	11.13	10.88	10.97	10.75	10.60	10.05	9.92	10.15				
Common Stocks	5.81	4.40	4.64	4.51	4.30	4.37	4.37	4.31	4.21	4.14	4.23				

* Changed from Aaa utility bonds because series was discontinued in January 1984.

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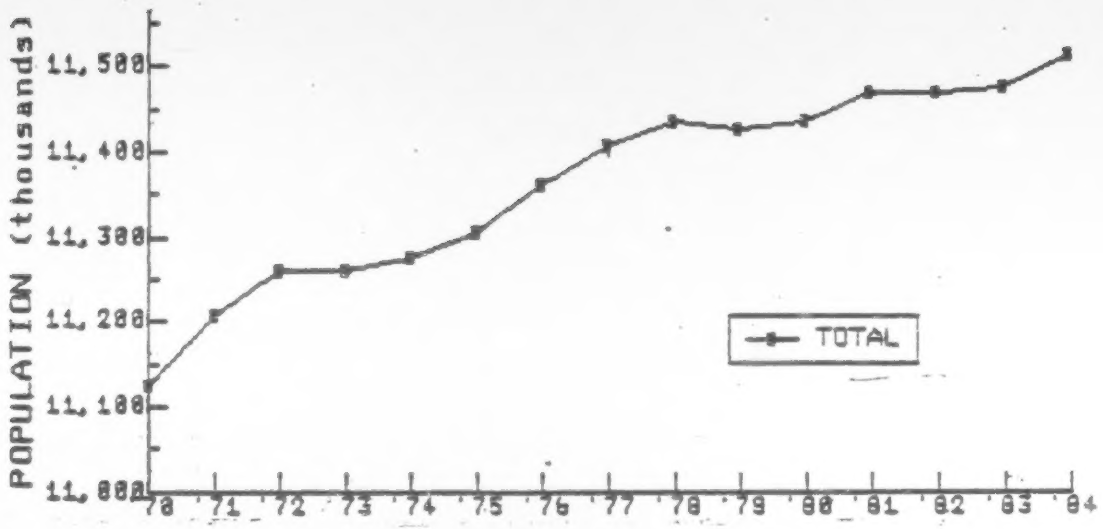
SOURCE: Federal Reserve System.

ILLINOIS POPULATION



POPULATION
(thousands)

RESIDENT POPULATION OF ILLINOIS

Year		Total	Change	Black	Components of Change Births	Deaths	Net Migration	Total Percent Change Ill.	U.S.
1970	(July 1 EST.)	11,125*		1,420	205,472	110,680	-13,800		
1971	(July 1 EST.)	11,206	+81		195,322	109,848	-33,500	0.7	1.5
1972	(July 1 EST.)	11,258	+52		178,222	111,298	-64,900	0.5	1.2
1973	(July 1 EST.)	11,260	+ 2	1,499	169,249	110,510	-44,700	0.0	1.0
1974	(July 1 EST.)	11,274	+14		169,215	108,171	-29,000	0.1	0.9
1975	(July 1 EST.)	11,306	+32	1,534	169,420	103,552	-11,900	0.3	1.0
1976	(July 1 EST.)	11,360	+54		170,257	103,665	-20,600	0.5	1.0
1977	(July 1 EST.)	11,406	+46		177,393	103,423	-45,900	0.4	1.0
1978	(July 1 EST.)	11,434	+28		174,509	103,026	-82,500	0.2	1.1
1979	(July 1 EST.)	11,423	-11		184,210	102,227	-71,900	-0.1	1.1
1980	(July 1 EST.)	11,433*	+10	1,675	190,058	N/A	N/A	0.1	1.2
1981	(July 1 EST.)	11,467	+34		N/A	N/A	-64,000	0.3	1.0
1982	(July 1 EST.)	11,466	-1				-86,000	0.0	1.0
1983	(July 1 EST.)	11,474	+8		N/A	N/A	-62,000	0.1	0.9
1984	(July 1 PROV.)	11,511	+37				-35,000	0.3	0.9
1985									0.9

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*April 1, 1970 Census 11,110,258.
April 1, 1980 Census 11,426,518.

PROJECTIONS	Bureau of the Budget	National Planning Assoc.	U.S. Department of Commerce Projection	Percent of U.S. Total
1985	11,585	N/A	N/A	N/A
1990	11,688	N/A	11,617	4.66
2000	12,091	11,900	11,774	4.40
2010	12,554	N/A	N/A	N/A

SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of the Census - Estimates and Projections.

ILLINOIS EXPORTS

AGRICULTURE
(millions)

Product	FY 1972	FY 1983	FY 1984	1984 Ill. as % of U.S.
Soybean & Prod.	$404	$1258	$1232	16.3
Feed Grains	214	1417	1751	19.3
Wheat & Flour	28	106	116	1.7
Meats & Prod.	13	54	43	3.6
Hides & Skins	8	26	36	2.7
Fats & Oils	10	18	22	3.1
Other	81	81	79	0.7
TOTAL	$758	$2959	$3279	8.6
ILLINOIS RANK	(1)	(1)	(2)	

EMPLOYMENT RELATED TO EXPORTS
(thousands)

	1977	1981	1983
Agriculture*	75.6	72.6	NA
Manufacturing	140.1	157.0	110.0
Trade	30.9	48.0	58.5
Business Services	15.2	32.6	27.5
Transp., Com., & Util.	13.0	15.5	23.6
Other	21.7	22.3	NA
TOTAL	296.5	348.0	
Percent of Total Employment	6.0%	6.8%	

MANUFACTURING EXPORTS
(million dollars)

	1977			1981			Total Exports as % of Ill. Shpmts.	Employment Related to Mfg. Exports (thousands)	
	Direct	Indirect	Total	Direct	Indirect	Total	1981	1977	1981
Machines, exc. Elec.	2,892	566	3,458	5,160	885	6,045	28.3	40.8	47.9
Primary Metal	186	1,088	1,273	263	1,520	1,783	17.7	14.0	13.4
Food & Kindred	736	196	932	1,170	364	1,534	8.3	3.5	4.6
Elec. Equip.	532	315	847	1,110	454	1,564	13.6	17.4	21.4
Chemical & Allied	407	353	760	707	769	1,477	14.3	6.7	6.4
Fabricated Metal	323	594	917	363	851	1,214	12.0	15.8	15.3
Transp. Equip.	461	93	554	487	138	624	11.2	4.9	5.9
Petroleum & Coal	53	145	198	33	742	776	5.1	.3	.4
Rubber & Plastic	74	143	217	138	228	365	10.4	4.5	4.3
Instruments	254	57	312	396	70	466	19.8	6.7	6.6
Paper & Allied	35	141	176	28	291	319	9.0	2.5	3.2
Other	360	212	572	514	358	872	6.9	23.0	23.9
TOTAL	6,313	3,903	10,216	10,369	6,670	17,039	13.4	140.1	157.0

TOTAL EXPORTS (millions)

	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984
Agriculture	$2,504	$2,752	$2,812	$2,923	$3,645	$3,871	$3,277	$2,959	$3,279
Manufacturing	10,433	10,216	10,511*	13,695*	16,445	17,039	16,511*	14,840*	NA
Direct	(6,660)	(6,313)	NA	NA	(10,084)	(10,369)	(9,300)	(8,700)	NA
Indirect -	(3,773)	(3,903)	NA	NA	(6,360)	(6,670)	(7,211)	(6,140)	
Gross Total	12,937	12,788	13,323	16,618	20,090	20,910	19,788	17,799	
Less Duplication**	-963	-1029	-1,062*	-1,397*	-1,796	-1,534	-1,438	-1,421	
Net Total	$11,974	$11,759	$12,261	$15,221	$18,294	$19,376	$18,350	$16,378	
ILLINOIS RANK	(2)	(2)	(NA)	(NA)	(3)	(3)	(NA)	(NA)	

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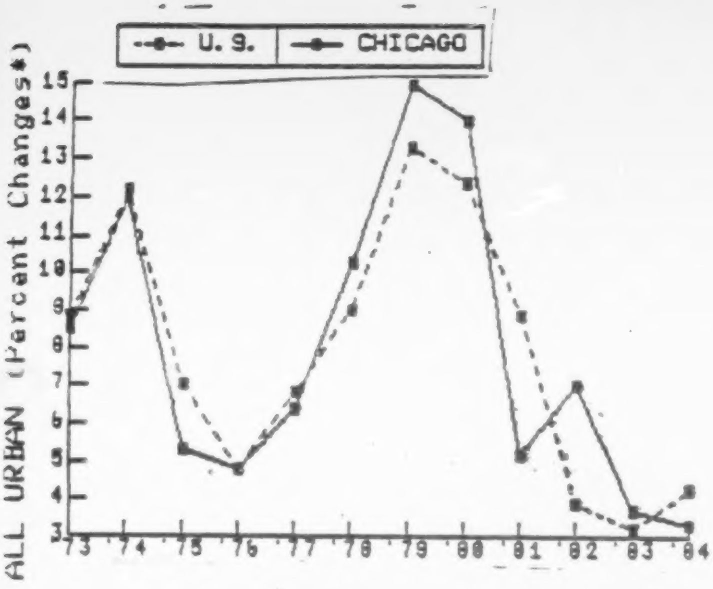
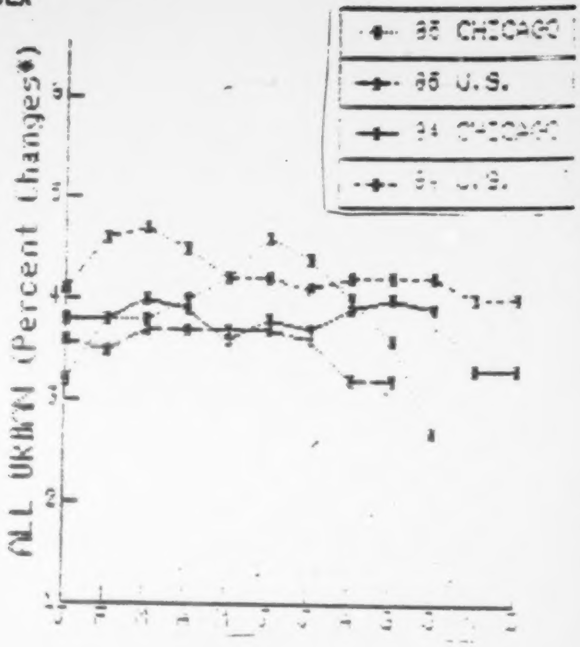
*Estimates prepared by Department of Commerce and Community Affairs

**Both Agriculture and Manufacturing include processed foods.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Agriculture, U.S. Department of Commerce.

U.S. AND CHICAGO/NORTHWESTERN INDIANA
CONSUMER PRICE INDEX
ALL ITEMS





ALL URBAN
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(1967=100)

1985
MONTH**
(1967=100)

						ALL URBAN				URBAN WAGE EARNERS			
						U.S.		CHICAGO		U.S.		CHICAGO	
			% Change from Preceeding Period*				% Chge from 1		% Chge from 1		% Chge from 1		% Chge from 1
Year	U.S.	CHICAGO	U.S.	CHICAGO	Mo.	INDEX	yr. ago	INDEX	yr. ago	INDEX	yr. ago	INDEX	yr. ac
1971	121.3	120.8	3.4	2.6	Jan	316.1	3.6	315.1	3.2	312.6	3.3	302.5	1.4
1972	125.3	124.3	3.4	3.1	Feb	317.4	3.5	316.7	3.8	313.9	3.5	304.0	2.4
1973	133.1	132.0	8.8	8.5	Mar	318.8	3.7	317.4	3.8	315.3	4.0	304.7	2.8
1974	147.7	146.1	12.2	12.0	Apr	320.1	3.7	319.1	4.0	316.7	4.1	306.2	3.3
1975	161.2	157.6	7.0	5.3	May	321.3	3.7	319.8	4.2	317.8	4.1	306.9	3.5
1976	170.5	165.1	4.8	4.8	June	322.3	3.7	324.1	4.6	318.7	4.1	310.9	4.3
1977	181.5	175.6	6.8	6.4	July	322.8	3.6	324.4	4.4	319.1	3.8	311.1	4.0
1978	195.4	190.7	9.0	10.3	Aug	323.5	3.4	325.9	4.0	319.6	3.0	312.1	3.6
1979	217.4	214.6	13.3	15.0	Sept	324.5	3.2	326.3	3.6	320.5	2.7	312.1	2.6
1980	246.8	245.5	12.4	14.0	Oct	325.5	3.2	322.6	2.7	321.3	2.9	308.9	-1.0
1981	272.4	269.0	8.9	5.2	Nov								
1982	289.1	287.4	3.9	7.0	Dec								
1983	298.4	298.8	3.2	3.7									
1984	311.1	310.1	4.3	3.3									
1985***			3.5, 3.4										
1986***			3.8, 3.2										
1987***			4.2, 3.8										

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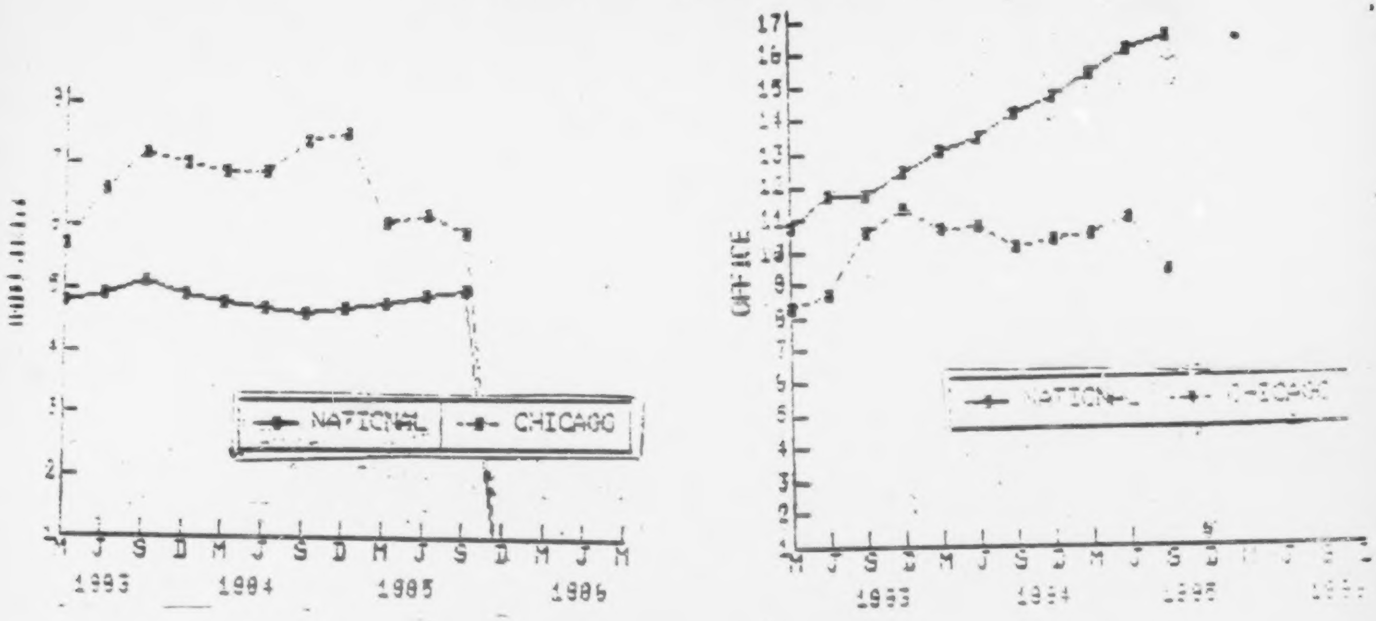
*Annual changes are from Dec. to Dec. (unadjusted).

**Data not seasonally adjusted.

***Chase Econometric Forecast (OCTOBER), Data Resources Forecast (NOVEMBER), Average annual changes.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Labor.

INDUSTRIAL AND OFFICE VACANCY RATES



INDUSTRIAL VACANCY RATES*

	1982				1983				1984				1985		
	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D	M	J	S
National	3.8	4.2	4.6	4.8	4.8	4.9	5.1	4.9	4.8	4.7	4.6	4.7	4.8	4.9	5.0
Chicago	4.4	4.7	5.1	5.2	5.7	6.6	7.2	7.0	6.9	6.9	7.4	7.5	6.1	6.2	5.9
Southern California	4.0	4.7	5.2	5.3	5.2	5.8	5.6	5.0	5.0	5.3	5.0	5.4	5.7	6.3	6.3
Philadelphia	6.5	5.9	6.2	6.3	6.3	5.7	5.3	5.2	4.7	4.3	3.5	3.5	3.7	3.4	3.0
Houston	4.0	4.8	5.6	4.6	3.7	3.7	5.7	5.6	5.4	4.8	5.0	6.7	10.7	10.7	11.1
St. Louis^r	3.7	5.0	5.0	4.9	4.1	4.9	4.8	6.0	6.2	5.2	4.7	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.2

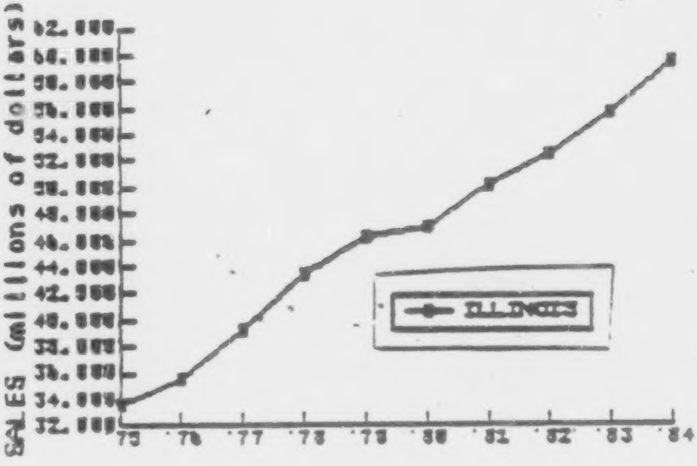
*Percentage of vacant or available space to total amount of industrial space in buildings of 100,000 sq. ft. or more in 19 metro areas.

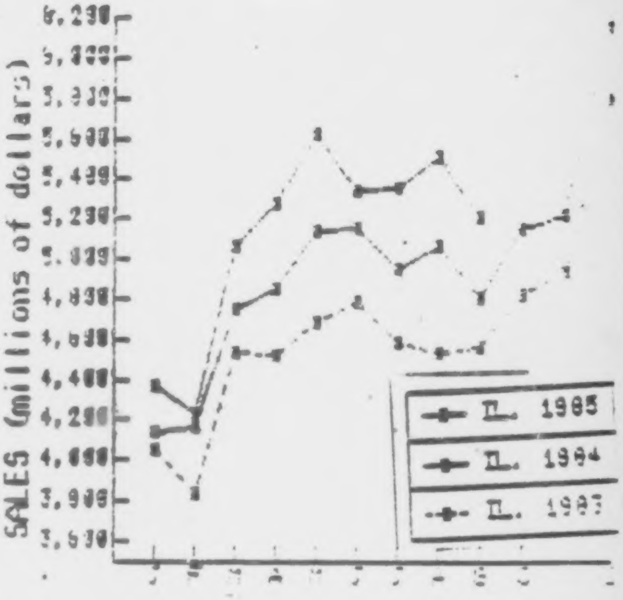
OFFICE VACANCY RATES**

	1982				1983				1984				1985		
	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D	M	J	S
National	5.5	7.1	8.9	10.3	10.8	11.7	11.7	12.4	13.1	13.5	14.2	14.7	15.4	16.1	16.5
New York	2.3	2.6	2.8	3.3	3.4	4.2	3.6	3.7	4.5	6.5	6.6	8.3	8.5	10.4	10.0
Chicago	5.0	6.4	7.6	8.3	8.3	8.7	10.6	11.3	10.7	10.8	10.1	10.4	10.5	11.0	9.4
Suburban	17.0	17.8	18.5	19.4	18.7	18.0	16.1	15.8	13.8	13.4	13.8	16.8	18.7	19.0	18.9
Los Angeles	1.9	3.8	6.9	9.5	11.6	13.0	13.1	12.3	12.2	11.8	12.9	11.8	12.4	12.8	13.5
Philadelphia	6.2	8.3	7.6	9.1	11.6	9.4	9.0	8.6	8.8	9.6	10.1	9.0	8.0	8.2	8.8
Houston	1.3	2.3	2.9	5.8	8.9	12.1	12.5	14.6	18.5	21.1	20.9	20.9	19.5	20.2	19.3
St. Louis	11.4	9.4	9.6	10.9	10.6	8.5	8.5	12.0	10.5	9.5	10.7	9.8	11.0	10.9	10.4

**Percentage of vacant space for lease or rent to total square footage in office buildings surveyed in 22 downtown areas.
SOURCE: Coldwell Banker.

ILLINOIS SALES OF ALL RETAIL STORES





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(millions)

ear	——AMOUNT—— Ill.	Chicago SMSA'	Chicago City	—PERCENT CHANGE— Ill.	Chicago SMSA'	Chicago City	U.S.
1970	23,061	15,365	NA	10.2	11.1	—	6.5
1971	24,856	16,302	NA	7.8	6.1	—	10.5
1972	26,186	17,171	NA	5.4	5.3	—	10.5
1973	28,786	18,801	8,448	9.9	9.5	—	13.5
1974	31,086	20,098	8,699	8.1	6.9	3.0	6.2
1975	33,643	21,239	8,774	8.2	5.7	0.9	8.7
1976	35,593	23,772	9,492	5.8	11.9	8.2	11.8
1977**	39,337	26,014	9,442	10.5	9.4	-0.5	10.3
1978	43,523	28,780	10,718	10.6	10.6	13.5	11.3
1979	46,324	31,054	10,939	6.4	7.9	2.1	11.5
1980	46,999	31,537	10,689	1.4	1.6	-2.3	2.9
1981	50,122	32,586	10,958	6.6	3.3	2.5	8.8
1982	52,465	34,692	10,967	4.7	6.5	0.1	2.7
1983	55,566	36,713	11,094	5.9	5.8	1.2	6.7
1984	59,468	39,697	12,505	7.0	8.1	12.7	

MONTH*
(millions)
1985

Mo.	Ill.	Chicago SMSA'	Chicago City	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago Ill.	Chicago SMSA'	Chicago City	U.S.
Jan	4,366	2,877	873	5.5	5.1	5.2	6.5
Feb	4,232	2,831	849	1.5	0.7	-3.3	2.1
Mar	5,062	3,299	968	6.6	5.0	-2.3	5.5
Apr	5,283	3,400	1,010	4.2	4.5	0.4	8.1
May	5,623	3,636	1,053	9.4	6.2	-2.5	7.6
Jun	5,347	3,405	1,020	3.7	-0.9	-4.0	2.3
Jul^r	5,350	3,543	1,108	8.1	8.8	6.5	8.1
Aug	5,512	3,716	1,143	8.7	11.2	3.6	9.0
Sep^p	5,208	3,515	1,059	8.6	10.8	1.9	9.5
Oct^p							6.5
Nov							
Dec							

'SMSA data will not be revised for new PMSA/MSA/CSA configurations until 1987.

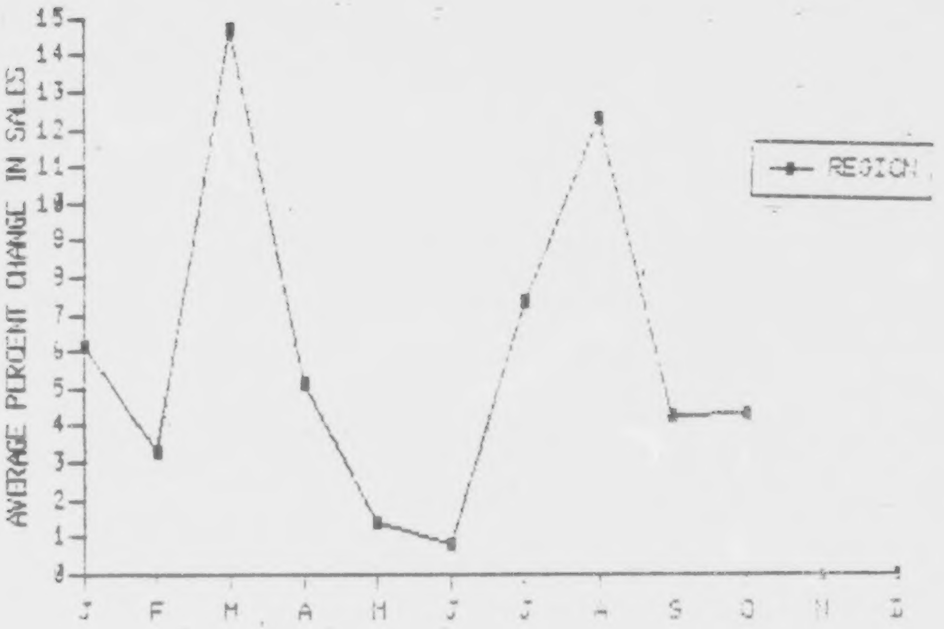
p=preliminary

*Data are not adjusted for seasonal variations, holidays, or trading-day differences.

**Extensive modifications to monthly survey begin with April, 1977 data.

SOURCE: Monthly Retail Trade, U.S. Department of Commerce.

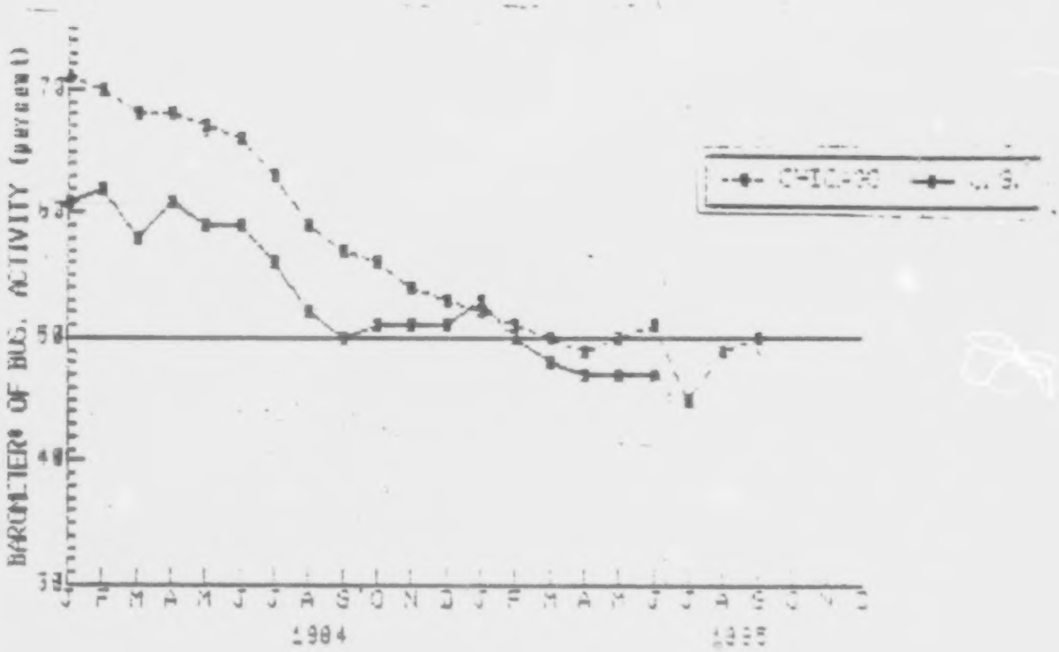
RETAILERS SALES COMPARISON



	GROSS SALES RECEIPTS ----------AVERAGE % CHANGE FROM 1 YEAR AGO----------				TOTAL REGIONAL AVERAGE CHANGE --------IN SALES BY TYPE---------		
MONTH	REGION*	CHICAGO	NO. ILL.	CEN./ SOUTH	DEPT.	SPECIALITY	OTHER
YEAR 1984	8.28%	8.99%	6.11%	6.34%	8.91%	2.37%	3.85%
1985							
JAN	6.13	8.91	-3.02	0.99	6.17	8.76	0.90
FEB	3.31	5.04	4.51	-5.50	3.10	6.83	3.06
MAR	14.65	15.73	9.68	10.85	15.19	17.23	0.82
APR	5.15	7.65	-4.81	0.68	5.35	7.18	-0.55
MAY	1.35	2.71	-4.24	-0.42	1.58	-1.34	1.07
JUNE	0.82	2.02	-5.46	-1.71	0.99	-0.48	-0.13
JULY	7.32	9.37	-1.48	3.46	7.91	2.37	4.56
AUG	12.26	14.98	3.53	3.91	12.21	13.18	11.75
SEPT	4.25	3.75	8.98	2.29	4.23	7.94	-0.44
OCT	4.30	6.14	-1.65	-3.66	4.18	3.88	6.61
NOV							
DEC							
Year to Date	5.56%	6.94%	2.31%	2.34%	5.65%	6.69%	2.47%

*Regional figures include Chicago, Northern Illinois, Central/Southern Illinois, and Northern Indiana.
SOURCE: Illinois Retail Merchants Association.

PURCHASING MANAGERS SURVEY



1984-1985**

		J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
BAROMETER (Composite Index* of Business Activity)													
CHICAGO	1984	71	70	68	68	67	66	63	59	57	56	54	53
	1985	52	51	50	49	50	51	45	49	50			
U.S.	1984 -	61	62	58	61	59	59	56	52	50	51	51	51
	1985 -	53	50	48	47	47	47						
1985 CHICAGO SERIES ITEM INDEX*													
PRODUCTION		54	64	55	67	54	56	47	56	55			
NEW ORDERS		55	60	55	70	50	53	48	52	54			
ORDER BACKLOG		45	52	51	51	42	48	37	45	46			
INVENTORIES		51	56	46	57	46	45	41	46	45			
EMPLOYMENT		47	51	49	52	46	48	44	45	45			
VENDOR DEL.		53	52	54	56	56	56	57	59	58			
PRICES PAID		58	55	54	52	47	48	50	49	46			

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*Index of 50 or above indicates expansion, less than 50 means contraction

**Barometer data is seasonally adjusted; all other data not seasonally adjusted.

SOURCE: Purchasing Management Association of Chicago

ILLINOIS
STATE GOVERNMENT

STATE TRANSACTIONS - GENERAL FUNDS, 1985
(millions)

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
BEGINNING AVAILABLE BALANCE	$331	$480	$496	$580	$591	$680	$479	$611	$528	$461	$354	$208
Revenues:												
Income Tax	333	227	321	405	387	248	305	217	280	286	$203	
Sales Tax	279	274	231	254	258	220	278	292	226	309	218	
Other	216	101	138	128	121	118	87	119	104	127	63	
Transfers In	76	56	59	57	54	49	66	68	68	57	74	
Federal	140	151	129	115	153	124	117	153	127	117	122	
TOTAL REVENUES	1,044	809	878	959	973	759	853	849	807	896	680	
Expenditures:												
Public Aid	236	216	260	245	253	223	266	255	241	250	217	
Common School Fund	219	144	144	143	144	287	--	163	174	164	163	
Operations	229	224	232	221	198	162	222	265	260	269	236	
Other	142	133	70	268	219	226	166	181	142	245	149	
Transfers Out	69	76	63	71	70	62	67	68	57	75	61	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	895	793	794	948	884	960	721	932	874	1003	826	
ENDING AVAILABLE BALANCE	480	496	580	591	680	479	611	528	461	354	208	

STATE EMPLOYMENT AND PAYROLL - 1985

	---------TOTAL---------		ALL AGENCIES ----EXCEPT EDUCATION---		-------EDUCATION------	
1985	Employees	Payrolls (000)	Employees	Payrolls (000)	Employees	Payrolls (000)
January	114,411	$198,847	76,843	$143,533	37,568	$55,314
February	116,578	199,100	77,089	143,066	39,489	56,034
March	116,757	196,989	77,436	140,258	39,321	56,731
April	117,155	196,701	77,757	140,694	39,398	56,007
May	116,287	195,075	78,017	142,016	38,270	53,060
June	110,833	203,051	79,702	146,543	31,131	56,508
July	110,566	202,491	79,970	149,782	30,596	52,709
August	114,650	207,652	80,257	150,386	34,393	57,266
September	118,514	212,906	78,499	149,527	40,015	63,379
October	120,223	214,484	78,507	149,934	41,716	64,550
November						
December						

SOURCE: Office of the Controller

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NATIONAL

OCTOBER/NOVEMBER 1985

Real GNP rose at a 4.3 percent annual rate in the third quarter, 1.0 percentage point above the preliminary estimate issued in October, and following an increase of 2.0 percent during the previous four quarters.

The index of leading indicators edged up 0.1 percent in September, following an upward-revised gain of 0.9 percent in August. Five of 11 indicators available for September improved, five declined, and one was unchanged.

The CPI rose 0.3 percent in October after five consecutive monthly increases of 0.2 percent. Since December, prices have risen at an annual rate of 3.3 percent. Prices of food and beverages rose 0.4 percent in October, a little more than in earlier months. Prices of alcoholic beverages rose 3 percent because of higher Federal excise taxes. Energy prices fell 0.8 percent, their fourth consecutive decline, as prices of natural gas and electricity declined.

Personal income rose 0.4 percent last month both before and after taxes, following smaller gains in August and September. Storm damage reduced rental income levels in September and October.

The overall and civilian unemployment rates remained unchanged in October at 7.0 percent and 7.1 perent, respectively. Employment, as measured by the household survey, rose 291,000, while the labor force grew 309,000. Most of the gain in employment was among adult women who, during this economic expansion, have accounted for about 70 percent of labor force growth; their employment-to-population ratio stands at a record 51.4 percent.

Payroll employment, measured by a survey of establishments, increased 414,000 on widespread gains: Construction payrolls rose 32,000, the service sectors added 324,000 new jobs, and manufacturing payrolls rose 60,000, recovering part of the 90,000-job loss in September.

New orders for durable goods declined 1.1 percent in September. A 19.3 percent drop in volatile defense bookings more than accounted for the decline. Nondefense bookings rose 0.7 percent.

The factory workweek remained at its high September level of 40.7 hours. Aggregate hours in manufacturing rose 0.5 percent, implying a pick-up in industrial production. The hourly earnings index increased 0.1 percent and has risen only 3.2 percent during the last twelve months.

Consumer spending fell 0.9 percent in October after rising more than 1 percent per month in August and September. Most of last month's decline reflected the drop in car sales, as manufacturers curtailed sales incentives. The saving rate rose to 2.9 percent from a (downward revised) record low of 1.8 percent in September. Consumer installment debt outstanding jumped $10.6 billion in September--a record advance--from the $7.5 billion average gain posted during the previous eight months.

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The quarterly gross state product series has been revised for 1984 and has been released for the first half of this year. Both 1985 constant-dollar quarterly readings show decline: $81,877 (85:I) and $81,513 (85:II), from $82,479 (84:IV).

Total bituminous coal production in October exceeded five-and-one-half million tons, the highest monthly reading to date in 1985. Underground mining constituted 67% of total tonnage, surface mining contributed 33%. Total tonnage mined in September was just over five million tons.

Contracts for future construction were up 16 percent in August over the same period in 1984, with an associated value of nearly $596 million.

Total non-agricultural employment rose again in September, tying the 1985 high of 4,707,000 set in June of this year. Employment gains were concentrated in the wholesale and retail trade and services sectors.

Average hours and earnings for manufacturing workers increased in both August and September, setting new records for the state this year. Average weekly hours rose to 40.4 and 40.8 for those months, hourly earnings averaged $10.41 and $10.45, respectively.

Unemployment in the state on a seasonally adjusted basis in October and September was 9.7 and 9.4 percent, respectively. The majority of metropolitan areas reported herein showed improvement in employment in September, however.

The most recent monthly Help-Wanted Index for Chicago has also reached a yearly high, to 101, from 99 in June.

New business incorporations tallied thus far in 1985 are up 7.7%, to 14,444 compared with the same period last year. Bankruptcy filings were down slightly in September, to 2474, after rising 7% in August.

Consumer prices for all urban consumers (CPI-U) and for urban wage earners (CPI-W) declined in October from September. The CPI-U dropped to 322.6 from 326.3 and the CPI-W sunk to 308.9 from 312.1. Both indices increased at the national level.

Office and industrial vacancy rates in Chicago for the third quarter were at their lowest in over two years, at 10.0 and 5.9 percent, respectively. In contrast, the national office vacancy rate soared to a high of 16.5 percent.

Total state employment in October rose to 120,223 from 118,514 in September, with associated payrolls of $214,484,000 and $212,906,000, respectively.

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MONTHLY HIGHLIGHTS -- December, 1985/January, 1986

NATIONAL

A 3.2 percent annual rate of growth in real GNP is projected for the fourth quarter of 1985, following a downward-revised rate of 3 percent in the third quarter. During the first half, real GNP rose at a 2.4 percent rate.

The monthly saving rate fell back in November to 4.2 percent from 4.5 percent in October. October's rate was revised up 1.6 percentage points as part of recent revisions to the National Income and Product Accounts. Consumer installment credit outstanding increased by $4.9 billion in November, following gains of $8.1 billion in October and $11.5 billion in September.

The overall and civilian unemployment rates edged down 0.1 percentage point each in December to 6.8 percent and 6.9 percent, respectively. Employment (as measured by the household survey) rose 230,000 and the number of unemployed fell 138,000. Nonfarm payroll employment advanced 320,000. Manufacturers added 45,000 jobs, the third consecutive monthly increase. The factory workweek rose to 41.0 hours, its highest level since April 1984. The hourly earnings index jumped 0.8 percent but has only advanced 3.1 percent over the past year.

Personal income increased 0.6 percent in November, slightly more than the gains during the previous two months. Personal income after taxes rose 0.5 percent, the same as in October. All components of personal income showed good growth except rental income which declined in November.

Retail sales advanced 1.9 percent in December following a 0.7 percent increase in November. During 1985, retail sales rose 6.6 percent, compared with a 7.4 percent advance during 1984 and 1983's strong 12.0 percent gain.

The CPI-U rose 0.6 percent in November and 0.2 percent in December, with the medical care component up 6.7 percent and other goods and services up 6.3 percent. In 1985, the CPI-U rose 3.6 percent.

During 1985, the Producer Price Index for finished goods rose 1.8 percent and rose 0.4 percent in December. This exceeded the increases in 1983 (0.6 percent) and 1984 (1.7 percent), it was lower than all previous December-December advances since 1967.

The composite index of leading indicators rose 0.1 percent in November, the seventh consecutive increase. Among the 11 indicators available for November, 4 improved, 5 declined, and 2 were unchanged.

Industrial production rose 0.7 percent in December following a 0.6 percent gain in November. Automobile production jumped 5.3 percent, and most other product categories showed strong gains. Industrial production rose a modest 2.1 percent during 1985.

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Total bituminous coal production in November was 4,388,907 tons and December was 4,632,647 tons. On an annual basis, total production tonnage in 1983 and 1984 has been revised, to 58,373,580 and 65,289,191, respectively. Preliminary total annual production for 1985 is estimated at under 61 million tons.

Monthly cash receipts from farm marketings for the first nine months of 1985 were $4,998 million, compared with $4,672 million for the same period last year. This represents an increase of nearly seven percent.

Contracts for future construction were up only slightly in November over last year, to $488 million, but increased 66 percent in October, to $804 million. Through 11 months of 1985 contracts in Illinois are up 8 percent compared to a U.S. increase of 7 percent.

The Illinois labor force increased 73,000 in December from November, while the number unemployed dropped 56,000 and the number employed jumped 79,000. The seasonally adjusted unemployment rate in December fell to 8.6 percent. For the year, the state unemployment rate was 9.0 percent, down slightly from 1984's rate of 9.1 percent.

Average weekly hours and wages of production workers in manufacturing increased in November, from 40.8 to 41.3 and $429.62 to $435.30, respectively.

New business incorporations rose a significant 12.0 percent in August, the latest reporting period, over a year ago. Illinois again outpaced all other states in the East North Central region ~~as well~~ as all but four states in the nation in number of new incorporations.

Consumer prices in Chicago for all urban consumers (CPI-U) and for urban wage earners (CPI-W) rose in November from the previous month, from 322.6 to 324.2 and from 308.9 to 310.9, respectively. The December indices rose to 325.9 (CPI-U) and 312.6 (CPI-W). Three components of the CPI-U showed significant increases: other goods and services (9.7%), medical care (5.5%), and food and beverages (5.0%).

The population count for Illinois in 1985 just released was 11,535,000, a 13,000 increase over the revised 1984 estimate of 11,522,000. The projections by the Illinois Bureau of the Budget for 1985 was 11,585,000.

Retail sales in the state increased a revised 8.8 percent in September, on sales of $5,217 million. The preliminary report for October shows a 4 percent monthly increase, on sales of $5,342 million.

Monthly gross sales receipts for Chicago increased 6.14 percent in October and 5.02 percent in November. The cumulative average percent change in receipts for 1985 over 1984 is 7.02 percent.

Total State employment increased 1,230 in November to 121,453. The associated monthly payroll was $218,017,000.

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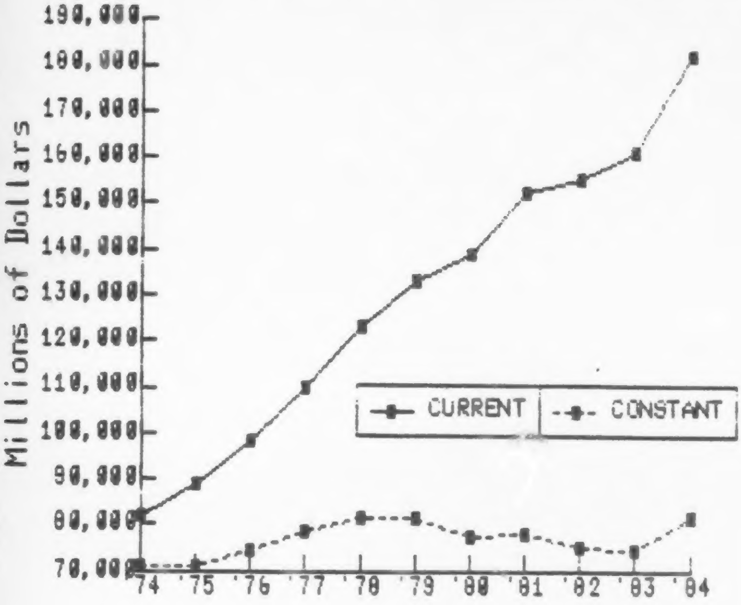

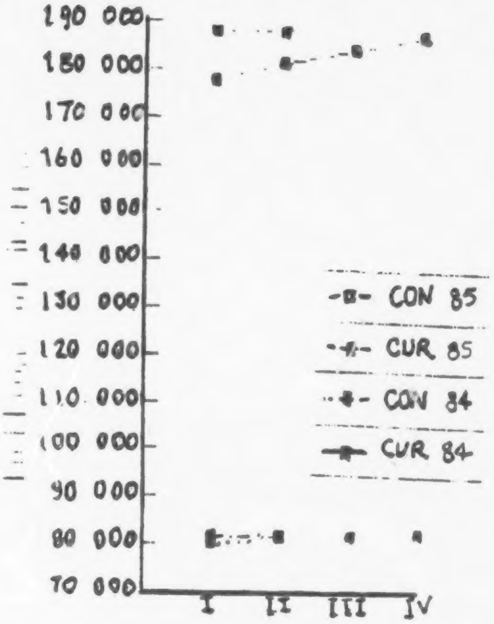

ANNUAL
(millions)

Year	Current	Constant (1972=100)	Constant $ Percent Change ILL.	U.S.
1971	63,278	65,901	0.4	3.4
1972	67,983	67,983	3.2	5.7
1973	76,294	72,111	6.1	5.8
1974	81,929	71,193	-1.3	-0.6
1975	89,039	70,784	-0.6	-1.2
1976	98,244	74,236	4.9	5.4
1977	109,876	78,455	5.7	5.5
1978	122,730	81,591	4.0	5.0
1979	132,893	81,319	-0.3	2.8
1980	138,463	77,510	-4.7	-0.3
1981	152,141	77,963	0.6	2.5
1982	155,007	74,926	-3.9	-2.1
1983	160,567	74,564	-0.5	3.7
1984	182,335	81,618	9.5r	6.6r
1985				2.4
1986				2.2, 2.0**
1987				2.7, 3.5**
1988				2.9, 3.1**

QUARTER*
(millions)

Year	Current	Constant (1972=100)	Constant $ % Change at Annual Rate Ill.	U.S.
1984				
I	177,830	80,619	17.7	10.1
II	181,286	81,513	4.5	7.1
III	183,592	81,753	1.2	1.6
IV	186,485	82,479	3.6	0.6
1985r				
I	187,556	81,877	-2.9	3.7
II	187,928	81,513	-1.8	1.1
III				3.0
IV				3.2

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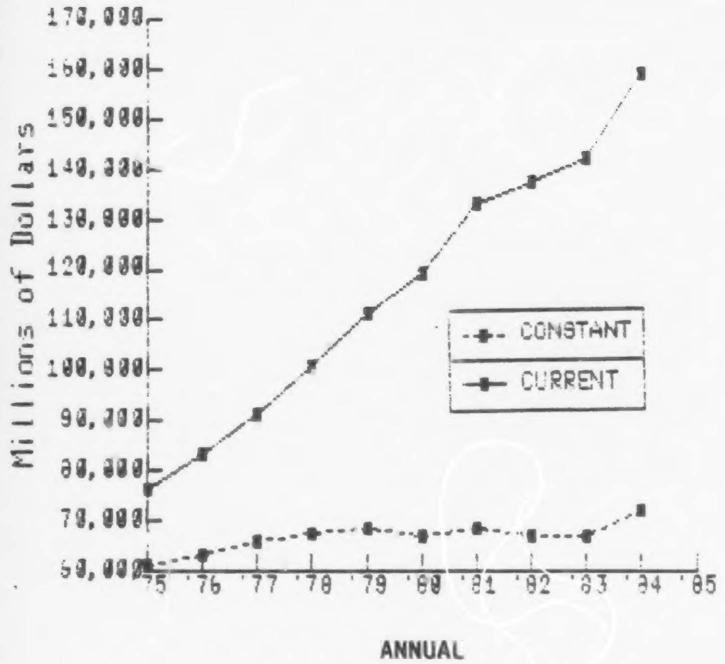
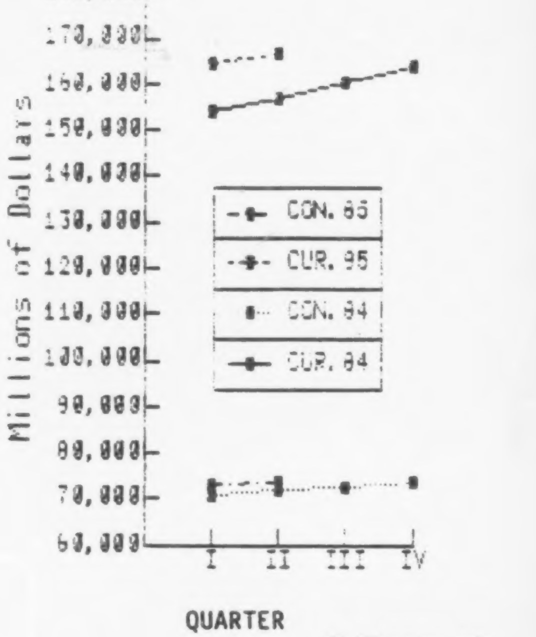
f - forecast r - revised
*Seasonally adjusted at annual rates.
**Chase Econometrics Forecast, Data Resources Forecast (JANUARY).
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Commerce and Community Affairs.

ILLINOIS TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME





Year	Amount (millions)		Percentage Change				Current $ Per Capita Personal Income	
			Current		Constant			
	Cur-rent	Con-stant**	ILL.	U.S.	ILL.	U.S.	ILL.	U.S.
1971	53,649	55,595	6.8	7.2	2.4	2.8	4,788	4,167
1972	57,812	57,812	7.8	9.6	4.0	5.8	5,135	4,515
1973	64,767	61,274	12.0	12.1	6.0	6.0	5,752	5,010
1974	70,807	60,831	9.3	9.8	-0.7	-0.3	6,281	5,448
1975	76,453	61,016	8.0	8.3	0.3	0.6	6,762	5,842
1976	82,924	62,964	8.5	10.1	3.2	4.7	7,299	6,367
1977	91,253	65,508	10.0	10.8	4.0	4.7	8,000	6,984
1978	100,567	67,449	10.2	12.5	3.0	5.1	8,795	7,772
1979	111,264	68,470	10.6	12.1	1.5	2.9	9,741	8,651
1980	119,451	66,732	7.4	11.0	-2.5	0.8	10,448	9,494
1981	133,125	68,445	11.5	12.2	2.6	3.5	11,609	10,544
1982	137,419	66,860	3.2	6.4	-2.3	0.6	11,985	11,113
1983	142,194	66,687	3.5	6.2	-0.3	2.1	12,393	11,690
1984	158,875	72,093	11.7	9.8	8.3	6.4	13,802	12,726
1985			5.8	5.7		2.8		13,343
1986				4.6,5.1***				
1987				6.5,6.7***				

	Amount (millions)	% Change at Annual Rates	
		ILL.	U.S.
1984 CURRENT			
I	154,028	18.8	12.4
II	157,213	8.5	9.1
III	160,541	8.7	8.7
IV	163,720	8.2	6.6
1984 CONSTANT			
I	70,655	14.5	8.3
II	71,721	6.2	6.7
III	72,479	4.3	4.2
IV	73,483	5.7	4.1
1985 CURRENT			
I	164,361	1.6	6.3
II	166,908	6.3	4.0
III			2.9
IV			4.8
1985 CONSTANT^f			
I	73,179	-1.6	2.9
II	73,788	3.4	1.1
III			0.7
IV			0.5

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r - revised, f - U. S. Dept. of Commerce forecast.
*Seasonally adjusted at annual rates.
**Personal Consumption Expenditures deflator for U.S. (1972=100).
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SOURCE: Survey of Current Business, U.S. Department of Commerce.

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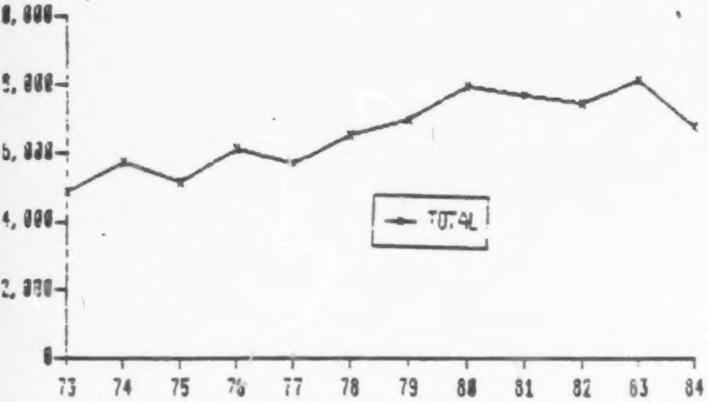
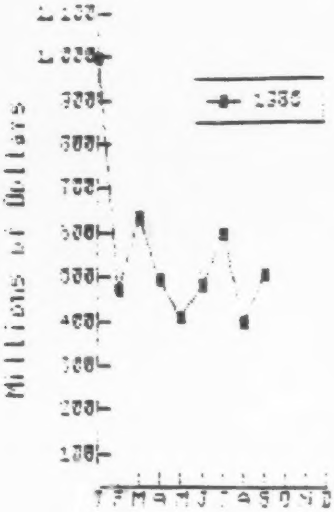
CASH RECEIPTS FROM FARM MARKETINGS





	ANNUAL (millions)						MONTH[r] (millions)				
				Total Percent Change						Total % Change from 1 Year Ago	
Year	Livestock	Crops	Total	ILL.	U.S.	1985 Month	Live-stock	Crops	Total	ILL.	U.S.
1970	1,314	1,496	2,810	1.2	4.9	Jan	$222	$773	$995	14.9	4.2
1971	1,188	1,548	2,736	-2.6	4.8	Feb	191	280	471	-1.2	0.9
1972	1,488	1,832	3,319	21.3	15.7	Mar	169	469	638	3.6	-4.0
1973	1,923	2,959	4,882	47.1	42.3	Apr	188	305	493	8.0	0.9
1974	1,799	3,933	5,731	17.4	6.1	May	188	224	412	-26.8	-13.2
1975	1,873	3,320	5,193	-9.4	-4.6	June	185	300	485	19.2	1.5
1976	1,847	4,290	6,134	18.1	7.4	July	179	419	598	9.7	2.6
1977	1,874	3,823	5,697	-7.1	0.8	Aug	164	236	400	8.3	-8.5
1978	2,127	4,430	6,556	15.1	16.9	Sept	162	344	506	34.4	0.9
1979	2,383	4,584	6,967	6.3	17.1	Oct					
1980	2,321	5,650	7,971	14.4	5.9	Nov					
1981	2,225	5,420	7,645	-4.1	2.6	Dec					
1982	2,373	5,062	7,434	-2.8	-0.1						
1983	2,340	5,780	8,120	9.2	-3.2						
1984	2,182	4,556	6,738	-5.7	7.2						
						CUMULATIVE THRU LATEST MONTH SHOWN ABOVE				6.9	-1.6

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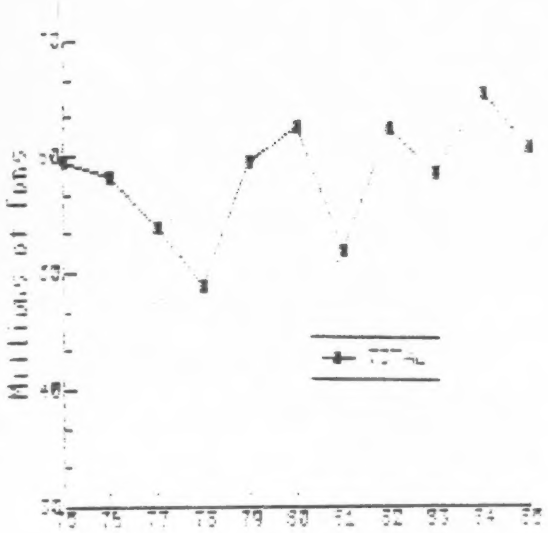
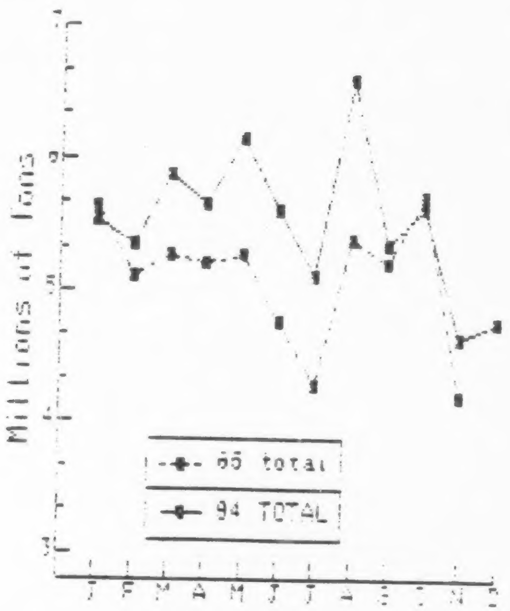
r - revised.

SOURCE: Agricultural Outlook, U.S. Department of Agriculture.

ILLINOIS BITUMINOUS COAL PRODUCTION





ANNUAL
(thousands of tons)

Year	SURFACE	UNDERGROUND	TOTAL	PERCENT TOTAL OF U.S.
1970	33,269	31,615	64,884	10.8
1971	28,961	29,454	58,415[s]	10.6
1972	33,806	31,715	65,621	11.0
1973	28,971	32,578	61,549	10.4
1974	26,969	31,104	58,073	9.6
1975	27,659	31,880	59,539	9.2
1976	27,224	30,912	58,136	8.6
1977	24,291	29,589	53,880	7.7
1978	23,855	24,889	48,744[s]	7.3
1979	26,857	32,681	59,538	7.6
1980	27,574	34,968	62,542	7.5
1981	22,563	29,236	51,799[s]	6.3
1982	25,750	36,477	62,227	7.4
1983[r]	25,003	33,370	58,373	7.5
1984[r]	25,344	39,945	65,289	7.5
1985[p]	21,783	38,987	60,770	

MONTHLY
(thousands of tons)

Month	TOTAL 1984	1985 SURFACE	1985 UNDERGROUND	1985 TOTAL
Jan	5,523	1,981	3,639	5,620
Feb	5,344	1,794	3,304	5,098
March	5,863	1,902	3,356	5,258
April	5,651	1,769	3,427	5,196
May	6,147	1,695	3,571	5,266
June	5,606	1,619	3,131	4,750
July	5,111	1,833	2,436	4,269
Aug	6,605	2,075	3,309	5,384
Sept	5,341	1,922	3,271	5,193
Oct[r]	5,633	2,075	3,639	5,714
Nov	4,633	1,369	3,020	4,389
Dec	4,748	1,749	2,884	4,633

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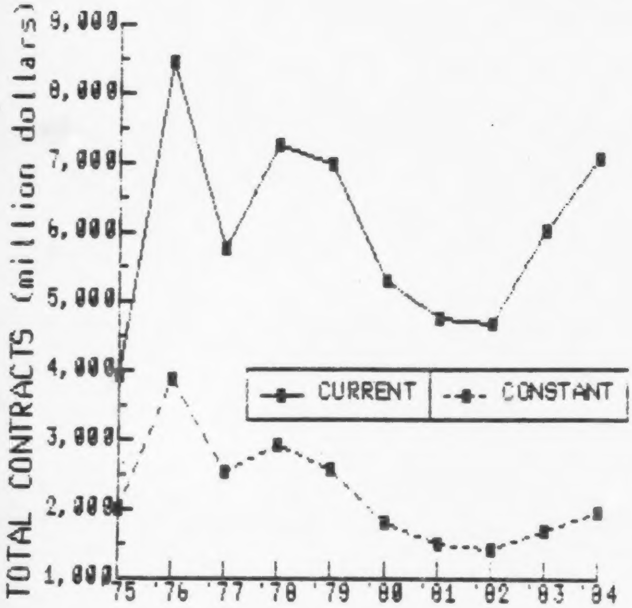
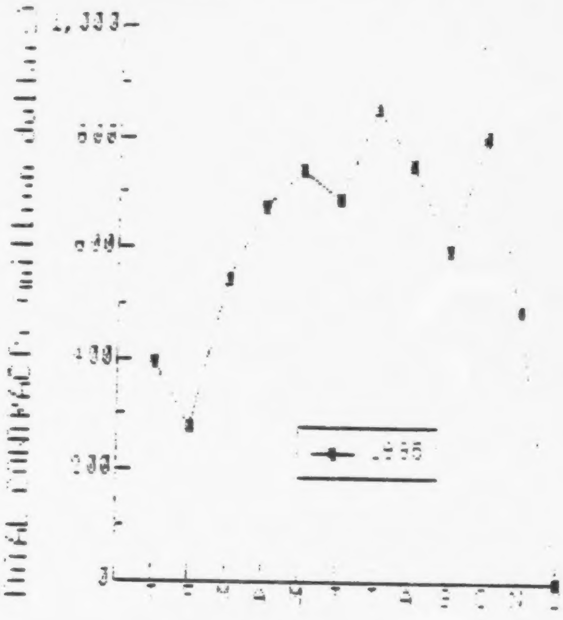
r - revised p - preliminary
s - Affected by major strike activity.
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Mines and Minerals.

ILLINOIS CONTRACTS FOR FUTURE* CONSTRUCTION





ANNUAL
(millions)

			------------	------------	TOTAL	------------	------------
Year	Residential	Non-Res.	Non-Bldg.	Current Amount	Constant Amount**	Current Percent Change	
						Ill.	U.S.
1975	1,363	1,482	1,062	3,907	1,988	-10.7	-1.1
1976	2,172	1,591	4,697	8,459	3,886	116.5	22.3
1977	3,183	1,641	962	5,786	2,511	-31.6	26.5
1978	3,463	2,200	1,599	7,262	2,905	25.5	13.4
1979	2,788	2,498	1,711	6,997	2,576	-3.6	4.0
1980	1,702	2,192	1,408	5,302	1,786	-24.4	-13.0
1981	1,579	2,240	962	4,781	1,471	-9.8	1.2
1982	1,435	1,977	1,284	4,696	1,393	-1.0	0.7
1983	2,338	2,242	1,439	6,020	1,678	28.2	23.0
1984	2,435	2,829	1,834	7,099	1,946	17.2	8.4
1985**						5.6	5.8
1986**						3.0	2.1

MONTH
(millions)
1985

				-----	TOTAL	-----
Month	Residential	Non-Res.	Non-Bldg.	Amt.	% Change from 1 Year Ago	
					Ill.	U.S.
Jan	$88	$203	$101	$392	43	7.7
Feb	89	146	45	280	-48	-5.9
Mar	201	183	162	545	-7	6.4
Apr	248	312	113	672	25	17.3
May	238	275	228	741	-4	0.8
June	249	184	257	690	30	-5.8
July	353	389	110	852	--	14.8
Aug	264	298	186	748	-3	7.5
Sept	236	276	84	596	16	1.0
Oct	289	343	172	804	66	2.0
Nov	188	244	56	488	-1	-5.0
Dec						
CUMULATIVE THRU LATEST MONTH SHOWN ABOVE					+8	+7

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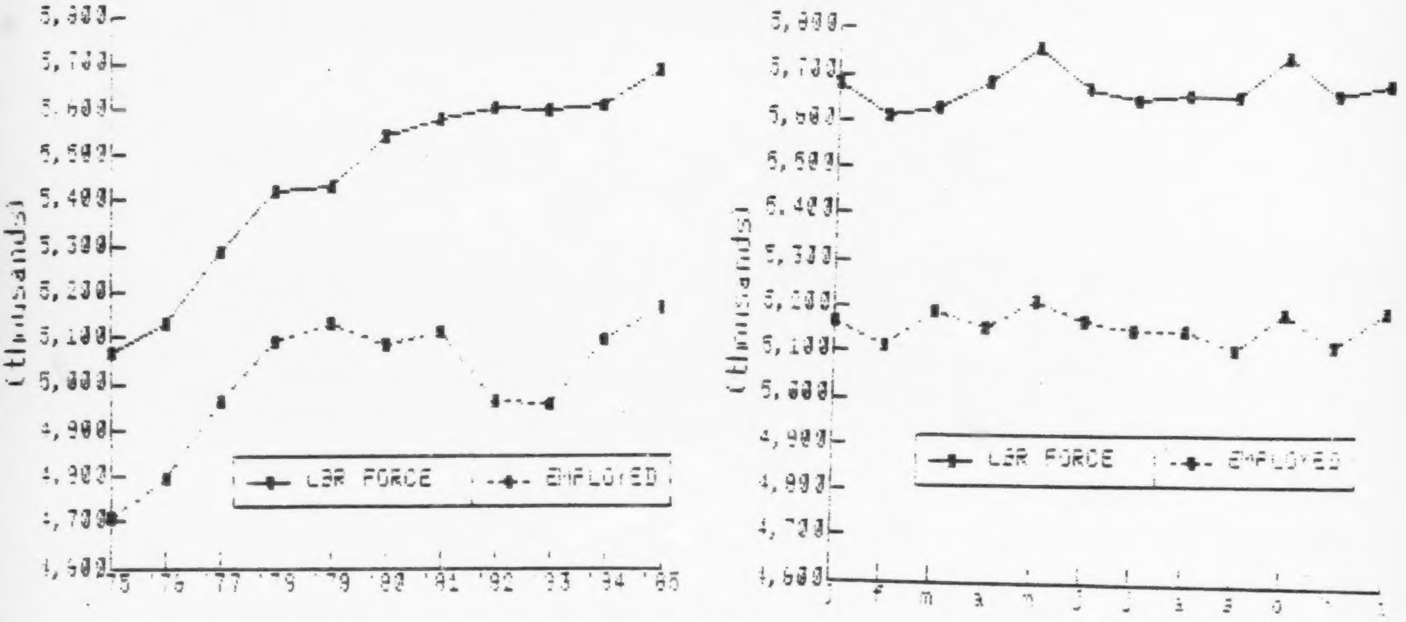
*Construction generally begins about 6 months later.

**Dodge Forecast. Figure under Illinois is actually for North Central (OCTOBER).

SOURCE: Dodge Division. McGraw-Hill Information System Co.

LABOR FORCE, EMPLOYED AND UNEMPLOYED



ANNUAL
(thousands)

Year	ILLINOIS Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Insured Unemployed Numb.	Percent**
1970	4,710	4,538	171	NA	NA
1971	4,735	4,494	242	96.5	3.0
1972	4,855	4,609	246	87.3	2.8
1973	4,909	4,705	203	68.4	1.9
1974	4,989	4,777	212	90.0	2.3
1975	5,068	4,708	360	216.8	5.6
1976	5,132	4,797	336	197.9	5.3
1977	5,289	4,964	325	172.3	4.6
1978	5,420	5,092	329	149.7	3.7
1979	5,429	5,130	298	141.0	3.1
1980	5,539	5,085	458	212.7	4.6
1981	5,578	5,111	475	196.8	4.4
1982	5,597	4,963	634	252.5	5.5
1983	5,594	4,954	640	217.8	5.0
1984	5,604	5,093	511	140.1	3.2
1985	5,677	5,163	514	146.1	3.3

MONTH*
(thousands)
1985

Month	ILLINOIS Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Insured Unemployed Numb.	Per**
Jan	5,671	5,166	516	166.1	3.8
Feb	5,611	5,115	496	187.3	4.3
Mar	5,625	5,190	435	185.4	4.2
Apr	5,684	5,151	533	173.2	3.9
May	5,763	5,211	552	132.4	3.0
June	5,675	5,169	506	132.6	3.0
July	5,648	5,153	495	135.3	3.0
Aug	5,661	5,153	508	130.3	2.9
Sep	5,665	5,133	532	119.6	2.7
Oct	5,750	5,194	556	113.8	2.5
Nov	5,670	5,122	548	123.3	2.7
Dec	5,693	5,201	492	153.9	3.4

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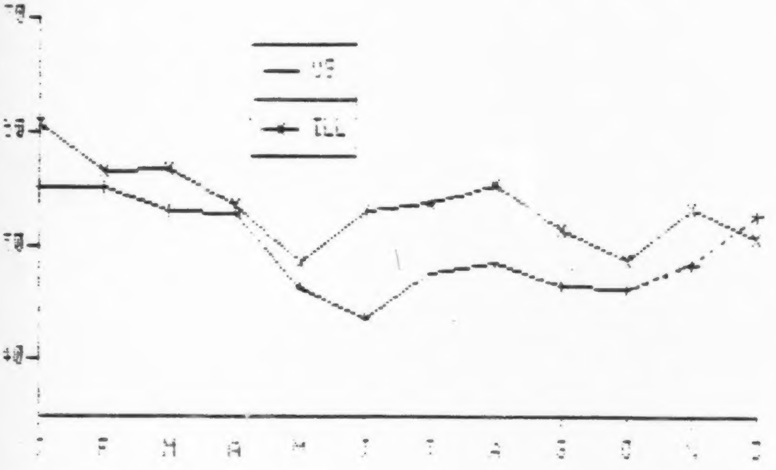
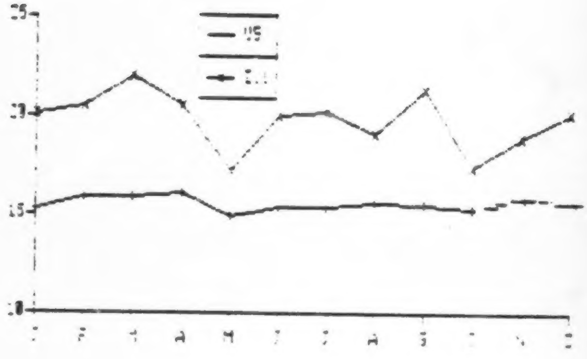
*Data are seasonally adjusted except for insured unemployed.
**Insured unemployment as percent of average covered employment.
p - preliminary
E - Estimate prepared by the Illinois Dept. of Employment Security.
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

UNEMPLOYED PERSONS BY REASON
AND DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT

Job Losers as Percent
of Unemployed



Mean Duration
(in weeks)



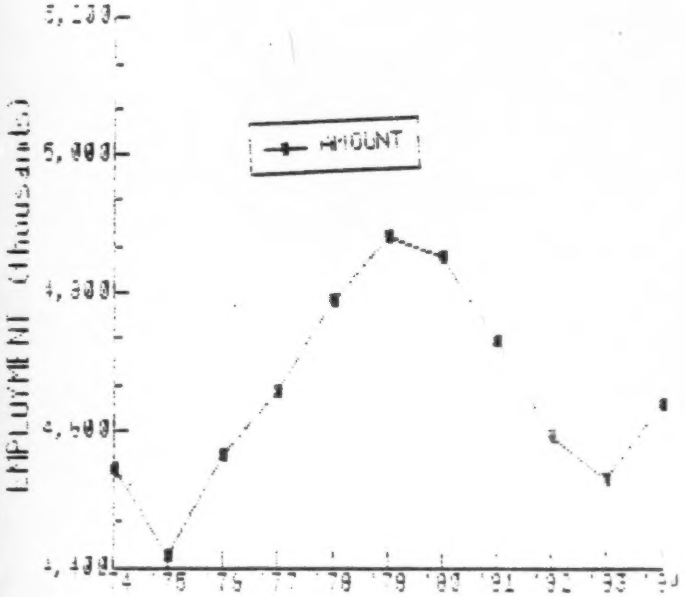
	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
Job Losers as Percentage of Unemployed												
ILL	60.7	56.5	56.6	53.5	48.5	53.0	53.7	55.2	51.2	48.8	53.2	50.5
U.S.	55.1	55.0	53.0	52.7	46.2	43.6	47.5	48.5	46.3	46.1	50.1	52.6
Mean Duration (in weeks)												
ILL	20.1	20.5	22.0	20.5	17.2	20.0	20.2	19.1	21.3	17.4	18.9	20.1
U.S.	15.3	15.9	15.9	16.1	14.9	15.4	15.4	15.6	15.5	15.3	15.7	15.5

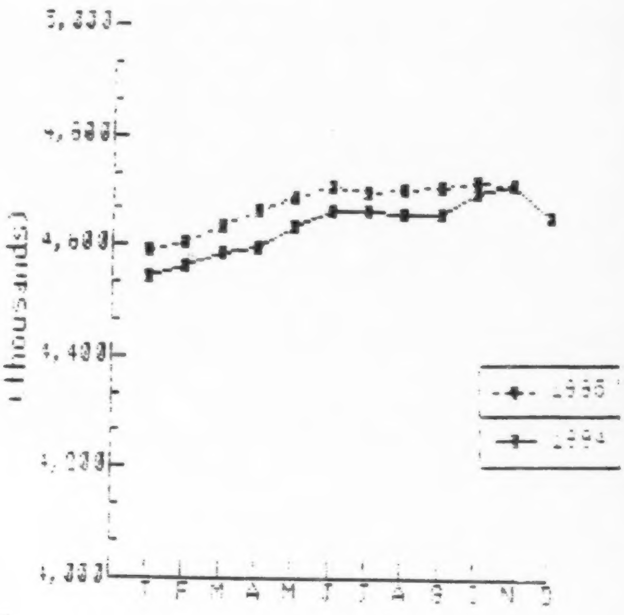
ILLINOIS
Number of Unemployed*(000's)

	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
Job Losers	337	295	256	281	262	286	276	275	256	256	273	239
Job Leavers	52	35	29	46	50	39	42	55	62	48	41	38
Reentrants	88	117	103	118	136	138	133	110	135	147	131	124
New Entrants	77	76	63	81	92	77	63	59	47	74	68	72
TOTAL	555	523	452	526	541	539	514	499	501	525	512	472
Duration**(000's)												
Less than 15 Weeks	326	301	259	339	380	322	320	335	359	387	411	332
15 Weeks and Over	190	195	176	194	172	184	175	173	173	169	137	161

*Not seasonally adjusted. For definitions of terms, see ADDENDUM (enclosed).
**Seasonally adjusted.
SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

ILLINOIS TOTAL NON-AGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT





ANNUAL
(thousands)

Year	Amount	Percent Change ILL.	Percent Change U.S.
1971	4,296	-1.1	0.5
1972	4,315	0.4	3.5
1973	4,470	3.6	4.2
1974	4,546	1.7	1.9
1975	4,419	-2.8	-1.7
1976	4,566	3.3	3.2
1977	4,656	2.0	3.9
1978	4,789	2.9	5.1
1979	4,880	2.0	3.6
1980	4,850	-0.3	0.8
1981	4,732	-2.3	1.8
1982	4,593	-2.9	-1.7
1983	4,531	-1.4	0.6
1984	4,637	2.3	4.7
1985			3.4

MONTH*
(thousands)

Month	1983	1984	1985	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago Ill.	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago U.S.
Jan	4,429	4,544	4,593	1.1	4.1
Feb	4,433	4,564	4,604	0.9	3.7
Mar	4,459	4,588	4,635	1.0	3.7
Apr	4,479	4,598	4,666	1.5	3.6
May	4,526	4,637	4,688	1.1	3.6
June	4,552	4,662	4,707	1.0	3.4
July	4,565	4,662	4,697	0.7	3.3
Aug	4,552	4,661	4,702	0.9	3.3
Sept	4,591	4,661	4,709	1.0	3.2
Oct	4,565	4,697	4,715	0.4	3.1
Nov	4,605	4,710	4,714	--	3.0
Dec	4,611	4,654			3.1

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r - New March 1984 benchmark revisions.

NOTE: Beginning in 1974, data are based on the 1972 Standard Industrial Classification Manual.

*Data not seasonally adjusted.

SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

NON-AGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY*
ILLINOIS
(thousands)

			1985*											
	1983	1984	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov^p	Dec
Mining	25	25	23	23	23	25	26	26	27	26	26	26	26	
Construction	144	150	127	123	135	152	165	175	183	184	184	183	177	
Manufacturing	956	986	966	964	960	953	954	959	952	952	950	948	945	
Transp., & Publ Util.	264	274	271	272	274	274	275	273	277	277	279	279	278	
Wholesale, & Ret. Trade	1098	1144	1150	1137	1143	1151	1160	1167	1164	1166	1170	1174	1186	
Fin., Ins., & Real Est.	320	318	318	318	319	320	322	327	329	329	326	324	324	
Services	1022	1048	1043	1048	1056	1063	1067	1084	1096	1100	1088	1079	1077	
Government	702	691	696	719	724	728	719	695	689	668	686	701	702	
TOTAL	4531	4636	4593	4604	4635	4666	4688	4707	4697	4702	4709	4715	4714	

CHICAGO AREA**
(thousands)

	CHICAGO SMSA (thousands)		1985											
	1983	1984	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov^p	Dec
Mining	3	4	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	
Construction	100	101	92	89	95	103	110	115	120	120	120	119	117	
Manufacturing	640	646	688	687	686	683	680	683	678	678	679	677	674	
Transp., & Pub. Util.	176	180	189	189	190	190	190	187	190	190	192	194	194	
Wholesale & Retail Trade	737	793	784	771	775	778	785	791	788	790	791	796	807	
Fin., Ins., & Real Est.	239	240	248	247	248	250	250	254	255	255	252	252	253	
Services	740	748	758	760	765	772	781	788	803	807	796	790	791	
Government	382	377	399	403	406	407	405	408	399	400	402	412	413	
TOTAL	3017	3039	3160	3148	3168	3186	3206	3229	3237	3239	3236	3243	3253	

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*Data not seasonally adjusted. **Effective with the Jan, 1985 report, the Chicago Area is redefined from an SMSA to the PMSA's of Chicago, Lake, Aurora and Joliet.

p - preliminary, r - revised. March, 1983 benchmark date for Chicago SMSA; March, 1984 benchmark date for other annual and monthly statistics. Totals may not add to sum of industries due to rounding.

SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY IN MSA'S*
NOVEMBER, 1984 AND 1985

(thousands)

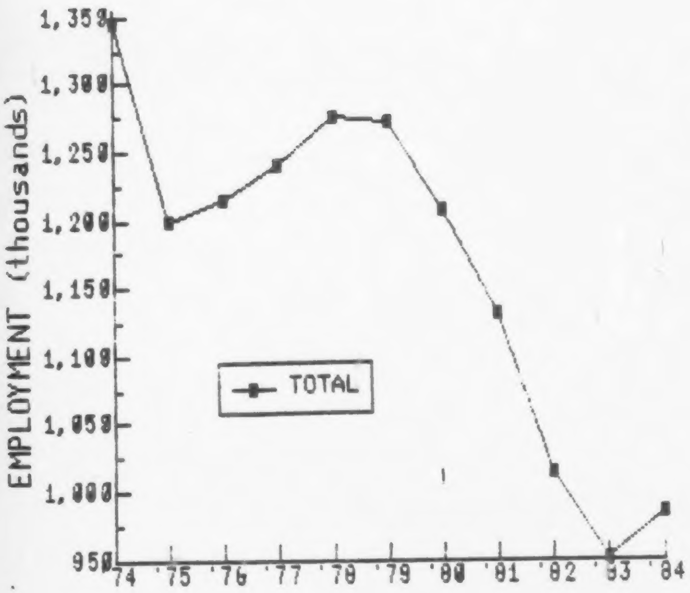
Industry	Bloomington/ Normal		Champaign/ Urbana/Rantoul		Davenport/ Rock Island/ Moline		Decatur		Kankakee		Peoria		Rockford		Springfield	
	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985
Construction	1.3	1.4	1.7	1.8	4.7	5.1	1.8	1.8	1.2	1.3	6.0	6.1	3.5	3.6	2.5	2.6
Manufacturing	5.2	4.9	6.9	7.2	31.1	31.6	15.8	14.8	5.6	5.4	33.9	30.1	45.2	44.2	4.9	3.6
Durable goods	3.1	3.0	2.2	2.4	23.6	23.5	8.6	8.2	2.6	2.6	28.4	24.5	39.0	37.8	2.8	1.6
Nondurable goods	2.1	1.9	4.7	4.8	7.5	8.1	7.2	6.6	3.0	2.8	5.5	5.6	6.2	6.4	2.1	2.0
Trans & Public Utilities	3.2	3.1	2.4	2.4	8.0	8.0	3.9	3.9	1.1	1.2	6.6	6.5	4.3	4.3	4.1	4.3
Wholesale Trade	2.3	2.2	3.6	3.8	9.8	9.8	1.6	1.5	2.0	1.9	6.9	6.9	5.7	5.7	3.6	3.6
Retail Trade	10.2	10.4	14.8	14.9	29.3	29.3	9.6	10.1	5.8	5.8	25.0	25.6	19.4	19.4	14.3	14.2
Finance, Ins. & Real Estate	8.5	8.7	2.5	2.5	7.2	7.3	2.7	2.5	1.4	1.5	6.3	6.4	4.4	4.6	7.6	7.6
Services	9.8	10.0	12.6	12.6	26.9	27.3	9.1	9.3	7.1	7.4	28.9	29.1	21.0	21.8	19.1	20.2
Government	11.5	11.7	31.5	33.3	27.0	27.6	5.7	5.6	7.1	6.7	15.8	16.1	11.5	11.9	30.5	31.0
Total Non-agricultural employment	52.0	52.4	76.0	78.5	144.0	146.0	50.3	49.9	31.3	31.3	129.4	126.8	115.0	115.4	86.8	87.2

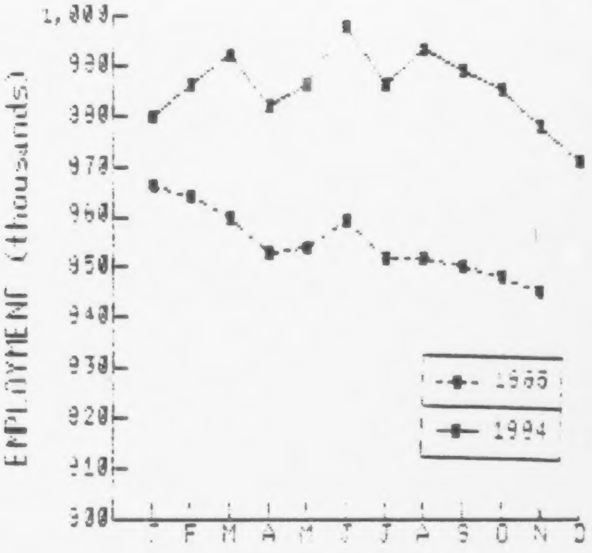
Data are not seasonally adjusted.

*Excludes Chicago, St. Louis, Aurora-Elgin, Joliet and Lake County. March, 1984 benchmark date.

SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

ILLINOIS MANUFACTURING EMPLOYMENT





	ANNUAL (thousands) Manufacturing Employment					MONTH* (thousands)				
Year	Durable	Non-Durable	Total	Total Percent Change Ill.	Total Percent Change U.S.	Month	1984	1985	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago Ill.	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago U.S.
1975	789	411	1,200	-10.8	-8.8	Jan	980	966	-1.5	2.8
1976	796	419	1,215	1.3	3.7	Feb	986	964	-2.2	1.8
1977	822	419	1,241	2.1	3.6	Mar	992	960	-3.2	1.3
1978	847	429	1,276	2.8	4.2	Apr	982	953	-2.9	0.6
1979	846	425	1,272	-0.3	2.6	May	986	954	-3.4	0.2
1980	804	404	1,208	-5.0	-3.5	June	998	959	-3.9	0.2
1981	751	381	1,131	-6.1	-0.6	July	986	952	-4.0	-0.6
1982	643	370	1,013	-10.4	-6.6	Aug	993	952	-4.1	-0.9
1983	584	372	956	-6.1	-0.9	Sept	989	950	-3.8	-1.0
1984	614	372	986	3.1	5.3	Oct	985	948	-3.7	-1.5
1985p			956	-3.0		Nov	978	945	-3.5	-0.9
						Dec	971			-1.2

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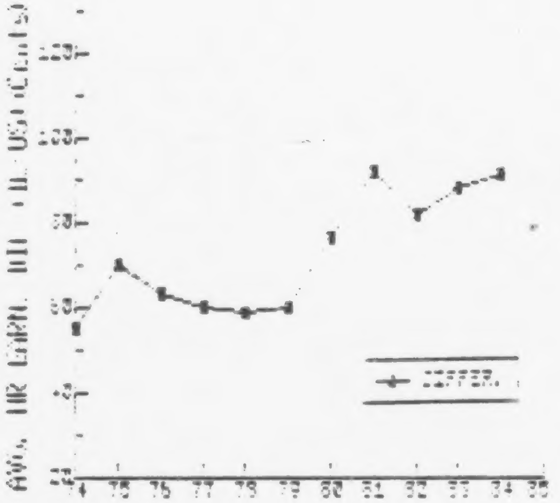
p - preliminary r - New March 1984 Benchmark revisions.

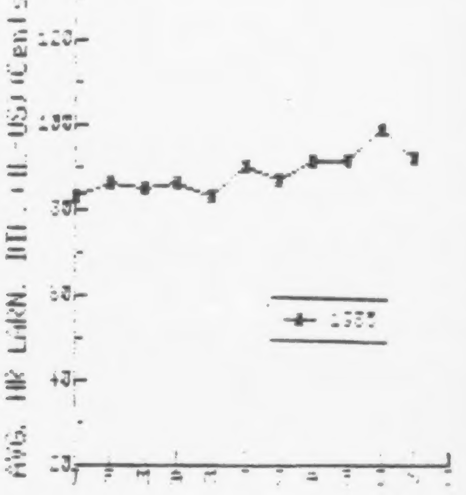
NOTE: Beginning in 1974, data are based on 1972 Standard Industrial Classification Manual.

*Data not seasonally adjusted.

SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

ILLINOIS
HOURS AND EARNINGS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS IN MANUFACTURING





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Year	Average Weekly Hours	Average Weekly Wage	Average Hourly Earnings Ill.	Average Hourly Earnings U.S.
1970	40.3	147.03	3.65	3.36
1971	40.1	157.57	3.93	3.56
1972	41.0	175.55	4.28	3.82
1973	41.2	187.85	4.57	4.09
1974	40.4	200.69	4.97	4.42
1975	39.7	219.13	5.53	4.83
1976	40.4	236.11	5.85	5.22
1977	40.6	254.91	6.28	5.68
1978	40.1	271.42	6.76	6.17
1979	40.7	296.66	7.30	6.70
1980	39.8	320.15	8.04	7.28
1981	40.0	356.33	8.91	7.99
1982	39.2	364.86	9.32	8.50
1983	40.6	393.59	9.70	8.82
1984	41.0	412.98	10.08	9.17
1985				9.52**
1986				9.93**
1987				10.47**

MONTH*
1985

Month	Average Weekly Hours	Average^{r} Weekly Wage	Average Hourly Earnings Ill.	Average Hourly Earnings U.S.
Jan	40.4	$414.10	$10.25	$9.43
Feb	39.6	407.09	10.28	9.43
Mar	40.5	417.15	10.30	9.45
Apr	40.3	416.30	10.33	9.48
May	40.2	416.07	10.35	9.48
June	40.7	423.28	10.40	9.50
July	40.2	417.68	10.39	9.52
Aug	40.4	420.56	10.41	9.50
Sept	40.8	426.36	10.45	9.54
Oct	40.8	429.62	10.53	9.54
Nov	41.3	435.30	10.54	9.62
Dec				

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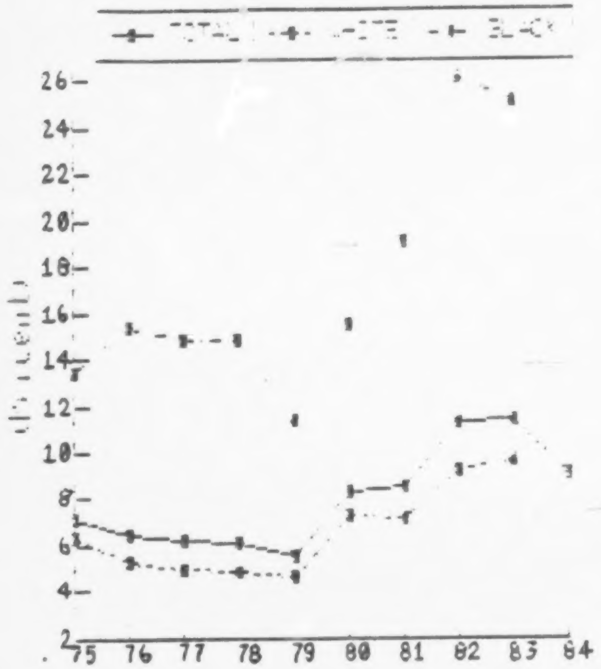
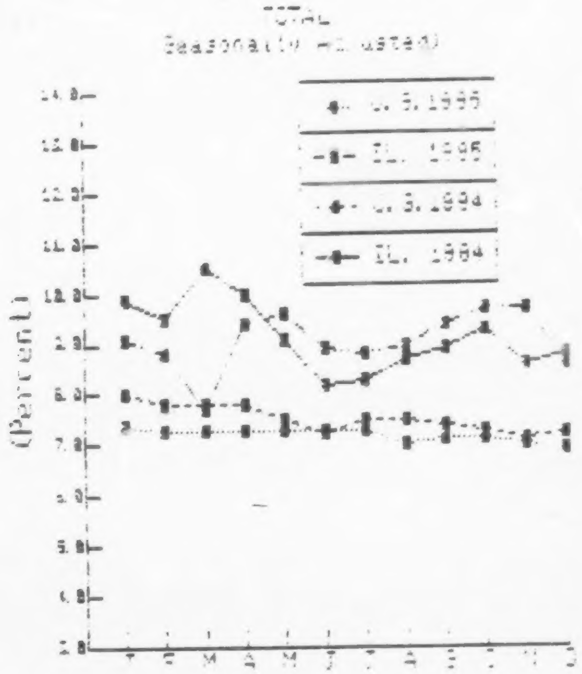
*Data not seasonally adjusted.

**Chase Econometrics Forecast.

SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security. March, 1984 Benchmark.

ILLINOIS UNEMPLOYMENT RATE





YEAR
PERCENT

Annual	ILLINOIS Total	ILLINOIS White	ILLINOIS Black	U.S. Total	U.S. White	U.S. Black
1970	3.6	3.4	5.9	5.0	4.5	8.2
1971	5.1	4.5	10.2	5.9	5.4	9.9
1972	5.1	4.4	11.0	5.6	5.0	10.0
1973	4.1	3.4	9.6	4.8	4.3	8.9
1974	4.2	NA	NA	5.6	5.0	9.9
1975	7.1	6.3	13.4	8.5	7.8	13.9
1976	6.5	5.3	15.4	7.7	7.0	13.1
1977	6.2	5.0	14.8	7.1	6.2	13.1
1978	6.1	4.8	14.8	6.1	5.2	11.9
1979	5.5	4.6	11.4	5.8	5.1	11.3
1980	8.3	7.3	15.5	7.1	6.3	13.1
1981	8.5	7.1	19.1	7.6	6.7	15.6
1982	11.3	9.2	26.2	9.7	8.6	18.9
1983	11.4	9.6	25.1	9.6	8.4	19.5
1984	9.1	7.5	21.1	7.5	6.5	15.9
1985	9.0			7.2		
1986				6.8, 7.3**		
1987				6.5, 7.3**		

MONTH
TOTAL

Month	ILLINOIS 1985*	ILLINOIS Seasonally Adjusted 1985	U.S. 1985*	U.S. Seasonally Adjusted 1985
Jan	9.8	9.1	8.0	7.4
Feb	9.4	8.8	7.8	7.3
Mar	8.1	7.7	7.5	7.3
Apr	9.3	9.4	7.1	7.3
May	9.4	9.6	7.0	7.3
June	9.4	8.9	7.5	7.3
July	8.9	8.8	7.4	7.3
Aug	8.8	9.0	6.9	7.0
Sept	8.9	9.4	6.9	7.1
Oct	9.2	9.7	6.8	7.1
Nov	9.0	9.7	6.7	7.0
Dec	8.3	8.6	6.7	6.9

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*Data not seasonally adjusted.

**Chase Econometrics Forecast (DECEMBER), Data Resources Forecast (JANUARY).

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Labor.

ILLINOIS UNEMPLOYMENT RATE* IN MSA's**

	Average Annual	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept^{r}	Oct^{r}	Nov^{r}	Dec
BLOOMINGTON-NORMAL: MSA													
1981	6.1	7.9	6.9	7.0	6.0	6.2	6.1	6.0	5.8	5.2	5.0	5.4	6.2
1982	7.9	6.8	7.3	8.2	8.0	7.0	8.3	7.6	8.4	8.2	8.1	8.4	8.7
1983	7.8	9.4	9.7	8.6	8.1	8.1	8.5	8.1	7.8	6.2	6.2	6.1	7.3
1984	6.7	7.9	7.3	8.1	6.9	6.4	6.5	6.3	6.4	5.7	6.1	6.2	6.4
1985		7.4	7.1	5.9	6.8	6.5	6.3	5.7	5.6	5.1	5.4	6.6	
CHAMPAIGN-URBANA-RANTOUL: MSA													
1981	5.9	7.1	5.9	6.6	5.4	6.1	6.5	5.7	5.6	5.1	5.6	5.6	5.5
1982	5.7	5.2	5.0	5.1	4.9	5.3	5.8	6.3	6.2	5.8	5.7	6.2	6.4
1983	6.5	7.4	7.3	6.7	6.7	6.8	7.5	6.9	7.1	5.3	5.3	5.6	6.0
1984	6.0	7.3	6.7	7.1	6.2	6.0	5.9	5.6	5.7	5.3	5.2	5.5	5.4
1985		6.3	5.9	4.8	5.4	5.7	5.7	5.6	5.2	4.7	4.8	5.4	
CHICAGO AREA:													
1981	8.1	9.2	8.1	8.7	7.8	7.7	8.0	7.5	7.9	8.0	8.0	8.1	8.3
1982	10.6	9.4	9.4	9.6	9.6	10.1	11.1	11.5	10.8	11.4	11.1	11.5	11.2
1983	10.5	12.1	12.5	11.4	10.9	10.9	11.8	10.8	10.5	9.2	8.7	8.5	8.5
1984	8.3	9.4	8.8	9.4	8.6	8.1	8.3	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.3	7.4	7.6
1985		8.2	8.0	6.9	8.1	8.0	8.0	7.6	7.3	7.3	7.6	7.4	
DAVENPORT-ROCK ISLAND-MOLINE: MSA (Illinois portion)													
1981	9.1	9.8	8.3	8.6	7.8	9.6	8.4	7.4	8.9	9.1	9.5	11.0	11.0
1982	15.8	16.4	11.5	12.2	13.7	12.4	15.2	16.8	15.9	19.8	19.6	20.7	20.7
1983	16.9	21.8	19.9	17.6	17.2	17.1	18.5	16.9	16.0	14.5	14.2	14.5	14.0
1984	14.0	16.6	15.3	12.8	13.6	12.3	12.0	12.0	11.4	13.0	13.6	15.7	17.4
1985		18.7	14.6	11.4	12.3	11.9	11.7	11.1	13.2	12.0	12.3	11.9	
DECATUR: MSA													
1981	11.2	12.9	11.3	11.8	11.1	11.1	10.8	10.1	9.9	10.5	11.3	11.6	11.5
1982	15.6	12.3	12.3	12.9	11.8	17.7	15.4	16.1	19.2	16.2	16.5	18.3	17.7
1983	14.9	18.7	19.0	16.5	16.3	16.6	16.5	15.2	13.8	12.1	11.3	11.4	11.3
1984	10.3	12.9	12.0	12.6	10.4	9.6	9.4	10.2	9.3	9.6	9.4	9.2	9.1
1985		10.7	10.5	9.5	10.9	10.9	10.7	10.4	10.7	10.8	11.0	11.2	
PEORIA: MSA													
1981	8.4	10.8	9.7	10.9	8.4	8.3	8.1	6.8	7.0	6.9	7.4	8.3	8.4
1982	13.9	9.8	10.7	10.7	11.4	11.9	16.1	16.2	14.9	16.1	16.8	18.3	17.5
1983	16.0	18.4	19.3	17.5	16.4	16.1	18.4	16.6	15.9	14.2	13.3	12.9	12.7
1984	11.3	14.5	13.4	13.7	12.4	11.2	11.0	10.6	10.1	9.7	10.1	9.3	9.7
1985		12.0	11.7	10.3	11.8	11.6	11.4	11.2	10.7	10.5	11.0	10.8	
ROCKFORD: MSA													
1981	10.1	12.4	10.7	11.2	9.2	9.0	9.7	8.3	9.1	8.9	9.1	12.7	10.6
1982	16.5	11.9	15.3	12.3	15.1	18.8	19.3	19.3	18.5	16.0	20.6	21.3	17.5
1983	14.2	20.0	17.1	16.2	15.2	14.3	15.2	13.7	12.8	11.1	10.8	13.6	10.3
1984	9.4	11.4	10.8	11.1	10.0	9.0	8.9	8.6	8.5	8.9	9.0	8.3	8.7
1985		10.2	10.1	8.8	10.3	10.2	10.1	9.8	9.3	9.9	10.7	10.3	
SPRINGFIELD: MSA													
1981	6.7	8.4	7.2	7.2	6.4	6.5	6.7	6.2	5.9	6.1	6.2	6.5	6.8
1982	7.7	8.3	7.7	7.1	6.5	6.7	7.4	7.4	6.7	7.8	7.9	9.4	9.8
1983	8.3	9.7	10.3	9.8	9.0	8.8	9.2	8.1	7.9	6.7	6.6	6.6	7.4
1984	7.0	8.3	7.7	8.3	7.5	6.7	6.8	6.6	6.2	6.3	6.8	6.0	6.6
1985		7.8	7.4	6.0	6.5	6.4	6.5	6.4	6.0	6.3	6.6	7.4	
ST. LOUIS: MSA (Illinois portion)													
1981	10.1	11.3	11.0	11.5	10.0	9.9	10.5	8.9	9.6	9.4	10.2	10.1	9.4
1982	12.2	11.1	11.7	11.3	10.8	10.9	12.2	12.8	11.7	12.9	12.4	13.2	13.5
1983	12.4	14.7	14.8	13.0	12.2	12.4	14.0	13.0	12.6	11.2	10.4	10.4	10.5
1984	10.6	12.8	12.1	12.6	11.2	10.3	10.1	10.0	10.2	9.8	10.2	8.8	9.5
1985		11.6	11.2	9.2	10.4	10.6	11.2	10.0	9.7	9.5	9.9	10.2	

NOTE: For Kankakee and Lake County PMSA data see county. *Data not seasonally adjusted.
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COUNTY	1982	1983	1984	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct^r	Nov^p	Dec
Adams	12.6	14.6	11.0	10.8	11.2	9.6	10.5	11.7	11.9	12.7	11.2	12.3	12.0	11.6	
Alexander	20.3	21.6	25.7	27.3	26.9	23.8	23.6	24.6	26.5	25.7	24.7	24.1	23.9	25.6	
Bond	11.6	13.3	11.9	15.9	14.5	12.5	13.0	12.3	12.7	12.4	11.4	10.5	11.6	14.7	
Boone	17.9	13.5	7.9	9.7	9.9	9.3	10.6	11.3	10.0	9.6	9.2	10.2	10.8	10.9	
Brown	8.3	8.2	9.6	12.9	13.9	11.3	11.4	9.5	10.1	7.3	8.3	7.1	7.2	9.1	
Bureau	12.9	12.4	9.8	13.0	12.1	10.4	11.5	10.8	10.1	10.2	9.2	8.3	8.3	9.9	
Calhoun	19.5	24.1	21.5	26.2	28.1	24.6	22.8	16.3	17.8	16.2	16.9	15.0	16.5	22.9	
Carroll	8.5	10.2	8.1	13.2	13.5	11.7	12.2	10.9	9.5	8.0	7.9	9.2	11.0	11.6	
Cass	8.0	11.5	9.8	11.0	11.0	9.4	8.8	7.7	7.4	7.9	9.0	9.2	10.1	11.5	
Champaign	5.6	7.0	6.0	6.3	5.9	4.8	5.4	5.7	5.7	5.6	5.2	4.7	4.8	5.4	
Christian	11.1	13.2	10.9	11.7	10.6	9.3	10.1	10.2	10.0	9.9	9.4	9.9	9.2	10.4	
Clark	14.8	16.0	15.9	20.7	22.9	19.3	19.7	15.5	15.0	13.7	13.5	12.5	13.0	15.7	
Clay	13.6	17.3	15.2	17.2	16.8	16.5	17.5	14.7	14.8	14.4	14.3	14.7	14.4	15.0	
Clinton	11.8	12.0	10.9	12.9	13.3	10.5	10.6	10.5	11.9	9.0	10.2	9.2	10.1	11.9	
Coles	10.0	10.6	8.2	9.0	9.3	9.2	10.0	9.2	9.7	10.7	9.5	7.9	8.2	9.0	
Cook	9.7	10.5	8.6	8.6	8.2	7.2	8.5	9.1	9.0	8.7	8.5	8.8	9.1	8.5	
Crawford	12.7	14.8	13.5	18.6	18.7	16.5	18.0	17.0	16.2	13.9	14.0	15.5	15.2	14.5	
Cumberland	11.7	15.4	13.3	15.0	15.4	13.1	13.6	10.3	10.6	11.6	11.0	9.8	9.5	11.8	
DeKalb	8.8	9.4	6.7	7.9	7.7	6.5	7.1	7.6	6.8	7.1	6.6	6.7	7.6	7.5	
DeWitt	10.8	12.4	10.0	12.8	13.3	12.2	12.9	12.8	12.6	11.4	9.4	9.9	9.7	11.4	
Douglas	7.3	10.8	7.8	10.0	10.3	8.3	9.4	9.7	8.9	9.6	10.4	9.5	8.2	8.8	
DuPage	7.1	8.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	5.2	6.0	6.0	6.1	5.8	5.7	5.8	6.1	5.6	
Edgar	11.7	15.0	15.7	16.3	18.6	19.5	18.3	16.1	18.7	17.4	16.7	16.6	15.8	15.8	
Edwards	9.1	11.0	11.1	12.1	14.0	13.9	15.3	14.5	12.6	11.5	10.9	11.2	12.2	12.6	
Effingham	11.3	11.6	10.7	11.9	12.4	10.9	10.9	9.8	10.1	9.9	10.3	13.2	10.4	12.4	
Fayette	12.0	14.6	16.4	18.0	18.0	16.1	16.6	14.7	14.0	13.1	12.6	12.9	13.0	15.3	
Ford	8.1	12.1	9.8	10.0	9.9	8.4	9.3	8.6	7.3	7.3	6.4	6.4	6.3	8.0	
Franklin	15.8	19.6	16.6	16.7	15.1	12.9	16.3	15.9	16.3	16.2	17.1	17.7	17.6	17.2	
Fulton	14.1	17.3	14.9	17.2	16.2	14.0	13.7	12.5	11.4	11.1	11.1	11.0	12.5	14.1	
Gallatin	19.7	20.3	19.4	21.8	21.4	19.2	19.4	17.8	17.1	15.5	16.0	17.2	17.3	18.2	
Greene	11.6	13.3	10.8	13.1	13.5	11.1	12.0	11.3	10.7	9.8	9.7	10.6	9.6	11.2	
Grundy	8.5	14.1	9.8	10.7	10.7	9.8	10.8	10.9	10.8	10.5	9.7	9.1	9.7	9.8	
Hamilton	13.6	20.2	18.9	23.1	23.6	22.5	23.4	18.5	19.6	16.4	17.7	16.6	15.7	18.0	
Hancock	9.3	11.6	10.2	13.5	13.4	10.3	10.5	9.6	9.4	9.0	8.3	8.1	10.7	11.1	
Hardin	23.9	21.6	18.0	20.6	19.5	14.6	17.8	16.9	18.4	17.5	17.7	19.5	21.4	17.6	
Henderson	10.6	14.9	12.2	23.5	20.2	12.9	13.3	12.0	10.4	9.5	9.6	8.9	10.5	11.1	
Henry	14.3	16.3	12.9	17.8	14.0	10.9	12.0	11.2	11.2	10.5	12.9	11.6	12.2	12.5	
Iroquois	7.8	11.0	8.9	10.2	10.5	9.4	9.1	8.5	9.0	8.4	8.7	7.7	8.1	9.3	
Jackson	9.2	9.6	8.7	10.1	8.9	8.2	8.6	8.7	8.9	8.2	8.3	7.6	8.5	9.1	
Jasper	11.5	12.9	12.5	13.3	13.4	11.4	13.7	12.9	16.8	11.8	16.7	11.8	10.3	12.4	
Jefferson	13.6	16.2	13.6	15.2	15.0	12.6	14.2	14.6	15.0	13.7	13.3	13.1	14.0	15.0	
Jersey	14.7	14.3	12.8	13.7	14.2	12.0	13.4	12.4	13.2	11.5	11.1	11.1	11.1	12.0	
Jo Daviess	10.2	11.5	8.8	11.5	11.6	11.1	12.2	8.6	7.7	7.4	8.2	9.1	9.8	12.5	
Johnson	13.2	15.8	17.7	19.1	20.4	16.0	16.5	15.7	15.3	13.4	12.7	12.0	12.7	14.6	
Kane	12.3	10.7	7.9	8.5	8.8	7.5	9.3	8.6	8.3	7.8	7.3	7.5	7.7	7.9	
Kankakee	16.2	15.4	12.2	13.6	12.7	10.9	11.6	11.9	12.8	11.9	11.1	11.0	11.5	11.9	
Kendall	7.6	9.9	6.6	7.5	7.9	6.9	10.0	7.4	7.2	7.3	6.4	6.1	6.2	6.6	
Knox	14.8	14.8	13.1	25.6	17.3	14.9	15.1	13.2	12.6	12.6	14.6	15.1	16.6	17.0	
Lake	8.6	7.7	6.1	6.6	6.3	5.4	6.1	6.1	6.2	5.8	5.6	5.7	5.9	5.9	
LaSalle	15.2	15.1	12.7	15.6	15.2	13.8	16.9	14.4	13.3	12.6	12.3	12.0	12.7	13.6	
Lawrence	11.5	13.5	12.6	16.3	17.9	16.1	19.1	15.9	17.4	16.4	18.6	20.1	19.8	20.5	
Lee	9.6	15.5	11.3	11.6	11.3	10.3	11.8	10.7	10.4	10.3	8.9	9.0	9.8	10.3	

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Livingston	9.1	10.8	8.8	10.4	10.8	10.7	11.3	9.7	8.8	8.0	7.6	8.0	7.8	8.8	
Logan	10.6	13.3	9.6	14.4	11.1	9.3	10.7	10.5	9.8	9.7	7.9	7.9	8.8	9.6	
Macon	15.5	14.7	10.3	10.7	10.5	9.5	10.9	10.9	10.7	10.4	10.7	10.8	11.0	11.2	
Macoupin	11.6	14.1	10.8	12.8	13.0	11.2	12.0	11.4	11.5	10.7	10.6	10.7	11.2	12.1	
Madison	13.4	13.8	10.9	12.0	11.5	9.2	10.5	11.1	11.4	10.3	10.1	10.0	10.4	10.6	
Marion	12.6	15.7	13.2	14.5	14.5	13.1	13.7	13.5	13.2	12.9	12.7	13.4	13.8	15.5	
Marshall	9.7	13.8	9.8	10.9	11.8	10.3	12.1	10.5	10.2	11.6	10.1	9.8	8.7	7.8	
Mason	11.5	15.3	10.7	12.6	12.7	10.9	11.4	10.5	11.3	10.5	11.6	10.5	10.7	11.4	
Massac	19.1	17.2	15.2	16.8	16.7	13.1	15.0	14.9	14.9	14.2	14.4	12.8	14.5	13.5	
McDonough	10.0	12.3	11.1	12.8	10.2	8.5	9.2	9.3	10.9	10.7	11.6	9.9	10.0	10.5	
McHenry	8.9	9.6	7.3	9.4	9.6	8.2	8.8	8.4	8.4	7.9	7.3	7.8	7.5	7.4	
McLean	7.9	8.1	6.7	7.4	7.1	5.9	6.8	6.5	6.3	5.7	5.6	5.1	5.4	6.6	
Menard	7.0	7.8	6.0	8.0	7.4	6.2	6.1	5.3	5.5	5.2	5.9	7.1	7.7	8.8	
Mercer	11.4	14.9	14.1	21.2	17.9	13.7	13.2	11.3	10.4	9.8	11.3	9.0	11.2	13.2	
Monroe	9.9	10.0	9.4	11.8	11.7	9.1	8.3	8.4	9.4	8.1	7.4	7.5	7.9	9.4	
Montgomery	14.4	16.5	14.7	16.9	16.1	13.7	16.3	14.9	13.9	15.8	13.6	13.9	14.4	15.0	
Morgan	9.2	9.7	8.5	10.5	10.1	8.6	9.8	8.2	8.1	7.4	7.0	7.5	7.5	9.0	
Moultrie	10.8	13.5	8.6	11.2	11.3	9.6	9.4	8.4	7.9	7.9	7.1	6.0	6.0	6.5	
Ogle	10.2	12.6	9.4	11.1	11.7	10.1	11.1	10.0	9.7	10.5	8.5	8.2	10.6	11.5	
Peoria	14.3	16.4	11.3	11.8	11.4	10.2	11.5	11.6	11.4	11.3	10.9	10.9	11.3	10.7	
Perry	13.2	17.0	14.9	15.8	13.7	12.8	16.7	12.7	13.2	12.7	13.6	13.1	13.4	14.7	
Piatt	9.2	12.1	8.9	9.8	10.1	8.5	8.2	7.6	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.4	8.3	9.7	
Pike	10.8	14.2	13.9	15.7	16.3	13.6	15.9	13.8	12.7	11.3	10.8	9.4	10.6	11.3	
Pope	22.3	18.5	17.2	19.2	18.6	16.4	17.5	16.7	17.9	16.6	15.2	15.0	16.8	17.6	
Pulaski	17.5	18.6	22.0	23.0	22.3	19.3	21.1	24.0	24.8	25.0	25.3	21.1	21.9	24.4	
Putnam	15.4	15.3	11.0	16.9	15.3	14.0	14.9	12.1	11.2	10.7	9.1	9.6	11.1	12.9	
Randolph	10.0	12.6	10.5	10.4	10.6	9.3	9.6	9.5	9.8	8.6	7.8	8.0	8.7	10.3	
Richland	13.5	15.2	15.1	18.9	21.6	22.8	21.6	17.3	18.5	15.4	19.8	19.6	16.7	16.2	
Rock Isld	16.4	17.8	14.4	19.0	14.9	11.6	12.4	12.2	11.8	11.3	13.3	12.1	12.4	11.8	
St. Clair	11.6	12.3	10.2	10.9	10.5	8.7	10.1	10.2	10.9	9.8	9.3	9.1	9.4	9.5	
Saline	17.6	18.7	15.9	16.2	16.0	13.4	16.2	16.1	17.1	15.7	13.5	13.9	15.1	15.7	
Sangamon	7.7	8.4	7.1	7.8	7.4	6.0	6.6	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.0	6.2	6.5	7.3	
Schuyler	8.4	11.4	12.3	12.9	12.8	11.7	11.2	9.8	10.6	9.7	8.9	8.4	9.1	9.8	
Scott	10.4	10.8	9.5	14.3	14.4	12.4	9.7	8.6	8.1	7.7	7.3	7.2	7.0	12.8	
Shelby	16.8	18.1	12.8	16.3	15.8	13.5	14.0	12.0	11.8	11.4	11.0	11.2	11.3	13.0	
Stark	11.0	13.5	9.5	10.4	11.4	10.1	10.0	8.0	8.2	9.6	10.4	11.1	10.5	7.2	
Stephenson	10.8	9.8	7.6	9.6	10.0	8.5	9.4	9.2	9.9	10.1	10.9	10.9	11.3	12.1	
Tazewell	14.1	17.1	11.9	12.5	12.1	10.7	12.6	12.3	12.0	11.5	11.1	10.8	11.2	11.6	
Union	18.2	20.1	16.7	19.9	20.5	17.1	17.0	16.5	16.6	15.9	14.4	14.0	14.1	17.2	
Vermilion	16.3	15.2	13.0	15.3	14.7	13.1	15.4	14.8	15.4	13.6	12.3	13.8	12.5	13.1	
Wabash	11.9	12.7	10.4	12.1	15.5	12.0	13.4	13.0	12.7	11.3	14.2	10.8	11.7	11.8	
Warren	9.9	13.4	11.1	18.9	13.0	10.7	10.7	9.8	9.0	9.7	11.2	10.1	11.3	11.8	
Washington	9.9	13.3	12.1	14.2	14.4	11.6	11.8	9.5	10.5	8.9	9.6	9.5	9.0	11.9	
Wayne	12.2	14.4	16.4	21.1	21.8	20.8	21.3	18.4	17.9	16.5	17.2	15.9	16.8	18.3	
White	14.6	16.1	17.2	19.8	20.4	20.2	20.6	17.2	17.8	16.2	19.9	20.8	19.7	18.8	
Whiteside	16.2	19.2	12.2	14.7	13.0	11.0	13.7	14.2	12.0	12.6	11.3	12.2	12.7	13.1	
Will	12.9	12.9	8.6	9.1	8.9	7.3	8.4	8.5	8.6	8.5	7.9	7.8	8.0	7.8	
Williamson	17.1	18.4	17.4	23.0	18.7	17.7	21.2	20.6	19.5	17.6	16.7	16.1	16.7	18.0	
Winnebago	16.0	14.0	9.6	10.2	10.1	8.8	10.3	10.0	10.1	9.8	9.3	9.9	10.7	10.3	
Woodford	10.5	12.4	8.9	11.1	11.3	9.8	10.2	9.6	9.2	8.8	7.9	7.4	8.4	8.3	

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*Data not seasonally adjusted.

SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

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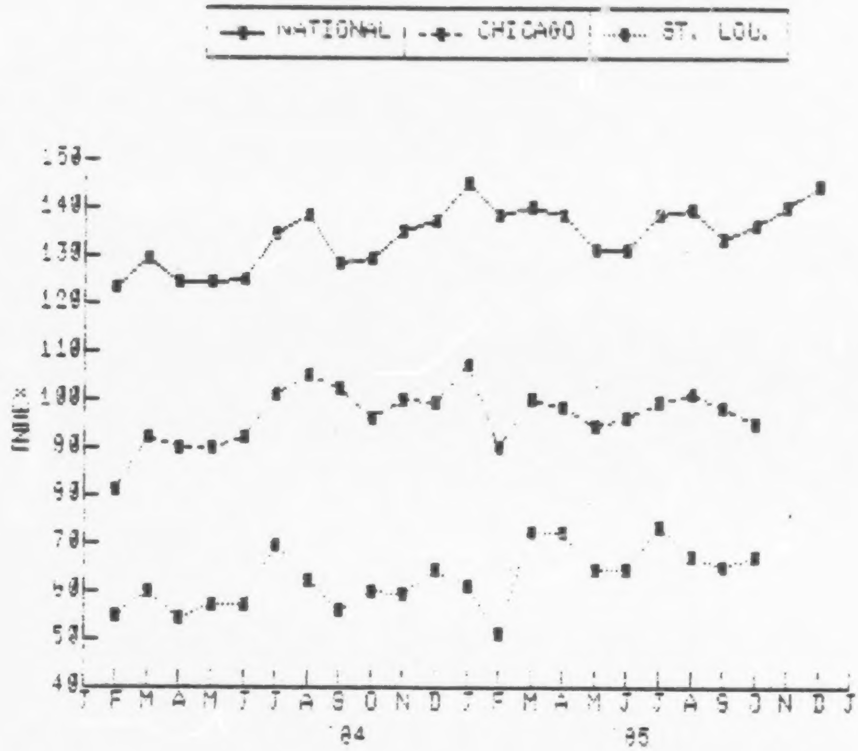
HELP-WANTED ADVERTISING INDEXES



HELP-WANTED ADVERTISING INDEXES* -
(Seasonally Adjusted, 1967=100)

Area		J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
National index (51 Papers)	1984	123	129	124	124	125	134	138	128	129	135	137	145
	1985	138	140	138	131	131	138	139	133	136	140	144	
East North Central (10 Papers)	1984	70	76	71	73	73	81	85	79	80	82	84	94
	1985	83	88	88	83	85	90	90r	86	85			
Chicago	1984	81	92	90	90	92	101	105	102	96	100	99	107
	1985	90	100	98	94	96	99	101	98	95			
St. Louis**	1984	55	60	54	57	57	69	62	56	60	59	64	61
	1985	51	72r	72r	64	64	73	67	65	67			

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*The monthly classified help-wanted advertising total for one newspaper in each of 51 cities is used as the basis for city indexes and the national index is a composite of all 51 city indexes.

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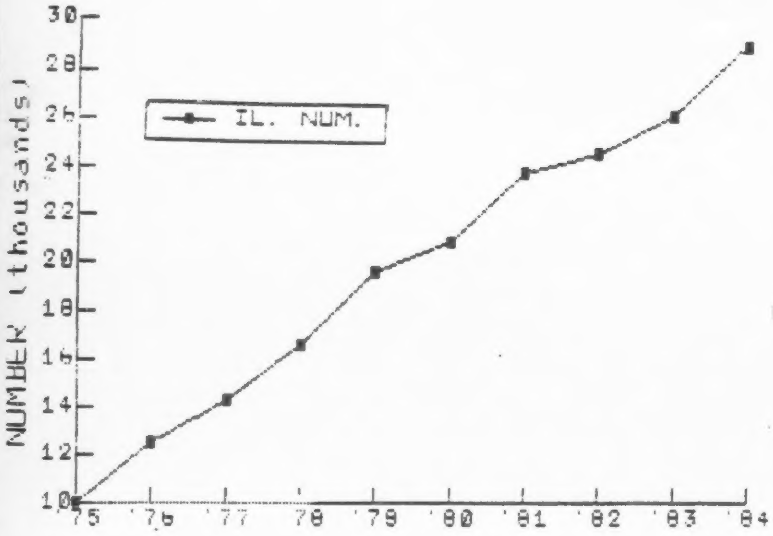
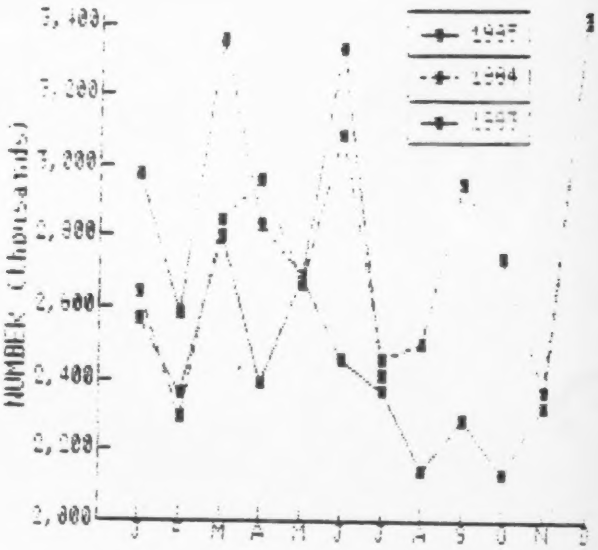
**St. Louis is in the West North Central region.

SOURCE: The Conference Board.

ILLINOIS NEW BUSINESS INCORPORATIONS





ANNUAL

Year	Ill. Number	Percent Change ILL.	Percent Change U.S.
1970	8,585	1.5	-3.6
1971	10,116	17.8	9.1
1972	12,106	19.7	10.1
1973	12,376	2.2	3.8
1974	11,720	-5.3	-3.0
1975	14,022	19.6	2.2
1976	16,573	18.2	15.3
1977	18,291	10.4	16.1
1978	20,638	12.8	9.6
1979	23,559	14.2	9.7
1980	24,804	5.3	1.7
1981	27,632	11.4	9.0
1982	28,469	3.0	-2.5
1983	29,952	5.2	5.9
1984	32,948	10.0	5.8

MONTH*

Month	1983	1984	1985	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago ILL.	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago U.S.
Jan	2,570	2,649	2,977	12.4	5.4
Feb	2,362	2,295	2,584	12.6	-3.3
Mar	2,801	2,251	3,358	17.8	0.9
Apr	2,392	2,961	2,837	-4.2	8.4
May	2,686	2,667	2,688	0.8	9.8
June	2,460	3,087	3,336	8.1	-1.9
July	2,366	2,459	2,415	-1.8	7.0
Aug	2,142	2,507	2,807	12.0	2.4
Sept	2,283	2,951			
Oct	2,135	2,740			
Nov	2,325	2,366			
Dec	3,430	3,415			
CUMULATIVE THRU LATEST MO.				7.1%	3.2%

*Data not seasonally adjusted.

REGIONAL COMPOSITION
Percent of Total

Region	1977	1979	1981	1982	1983	1984
New England	4.8	4.5	4.8	4.7	4.8	5.0
Middle Atlantic	19.1	17.2	16.5	16.8	17.5	17.7
E. North Central	13.4	13.3	13.0	13.2	13.1	13.3
W. North Central	6.4	6.2	5.5	5.2	5.4	5.2
South Atlantic	21.8	21.9	22.8	23.2	24.1	24.8
E. South Central	4.3	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8
W. South Central	9.5	11.6	11.9	13.1	11.5	9.9
Mountain	6.9	6.9	7.5	7.1	7.2	7.3
Pacific	13.8	14.6	14.2	13.0	12.6	13.0
U.S.	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

SOURCE: Dun & Bradstreet, Inc.

BANKRUPTCY FILINGS BY DISTRICT AND TYPE

		1980	1981	1982	1983	1984
NORTHERN DISTRICT						
Chicago:	Business	2,180	1,615	2,123	2,075	1,876
	Non-Business	16,232	14,503	15,374	14,618	14,869
TOTAL		18,412	16,118	17,497	16,693	16,745
Rockford:	Business	197	83	109	124	136
	Non-Business	1,281	1,064	1,061	1,005	1,125
TOTAL		1,478	1,147	1,170	1,129	1,261
CENTRAL DISTRICT						
Peoria:	Business	366	269	394	415	500
	Non-Business	2,169	1,427	1,661	1,765	2,077
TOTAL		2,535	1,696	2,055	2,180	2,577
Springfield:	Business	337	311	333	350	442
	Non-Business	1,955	1,569	1,521	1,316	1,265
TOTAL		2,292	1,880	1,854	1,666	1,707
Danville:	Business	118	113	152	152	157
	Non-Business	1,051	830	885	942	812
TOTAL		1,169	943	1,037	1,094	969
SOUTHERN DISTRICT						
E. St. Louis:	Business	343	263	389	438	534
	Non-Business	2,115	1,909	1,313	1,203	1,194
TOTAL		2,458	2,172	1,702	1,641	1,728
STATEWIDE:	Business	3541	2654	3500	3554	3,645
	Non-Business	24,803	21,302	21,815	20,849	21,342
TOTAL		28,344	23,956	25,315	24,403	24,987

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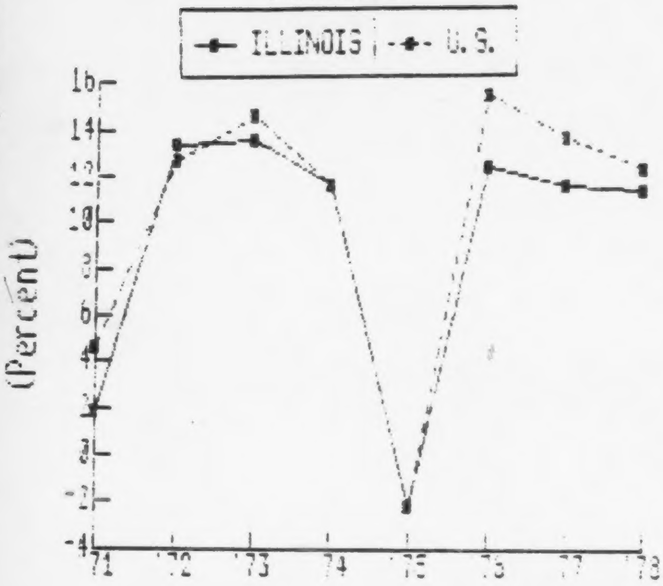
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
NORTHERN DISTRICT												
Business	145	162	175	163	157	171	178	152	171	198		
Non-Business	1327	1307	1456	1404	1369	1331	1457	1630	1630	1837		
CENTRAL DISTRICT												
Business	122	109	121	121	149	123	96	118	119	123		
Non-Business	304	362	419	442	458	379	405	381	389	483		
SOUTHERN DISTRICT												
Business	45	50	65	48	53	34	59	56	37	35		
Non-Business	95	96	102	131	110	104	121	141	128	163		
TOTAL	2038	2086	2338	2309	2296	2142	2316	2478	2474	2839		

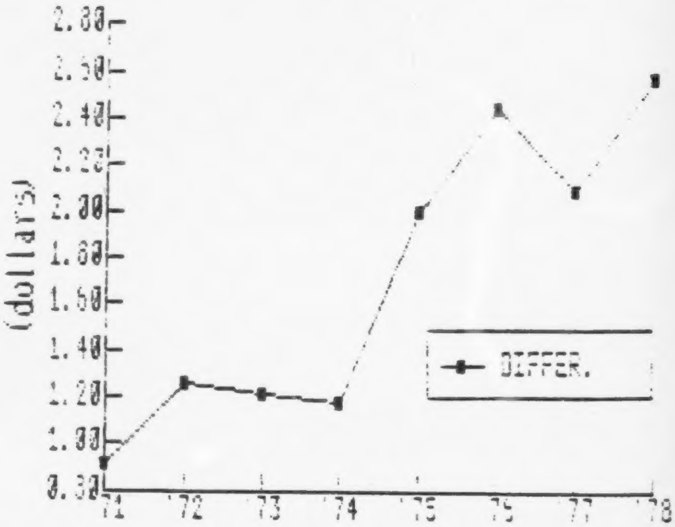
SOURCE: U.S. District Courts.

ILLINOIS
MANUFACTURING PRODUCTION AND PRODUCTIVITY

PRODUCTION



PRODUCTIVITY*
(Ill. minus U.S.)



	PRODUCTION				-PRODUCTIVITY*-		U.S. MANUFACTURING	
Year	VALUE ADDED (million)	PERCENT CHANGE Ill.	PERCENT CHANGE U.S.	Inventories Ill. End of Year (million)	Ill.	U.S.	Industrial Production Index (1977=100)	Capacity Utilization Rate^r (Percent)
1970	$22,379	--	--	$7,215	$12.14	$11.26	77.0	79.2
1971	22,790	1.8	4.6	7,388	13.34	12.43	78.2	77.4
1972	25,849	13.4	12.7	7,854	14.52	13.26	86.4	82.8
1973	29,357	13.6	14.6	NA	15.65	14.44	94.0	87.0
1974	32,800	11.7	11.6	11,599	17.79	16.61	92.6	82.6
1975	32,089	-2.2	-2.2	11,198	20.38	18.38	83.4	72.3
1976	36,085	12.5	15.6	11,952	22.62	20.17	91.9	77.4
1977	40,279	11.6	13.7	13,028	24.02	21.93	100.0	81.4
1978	44,854	11.4	12.4	13,949	26.31	23.75	107.1	84.2
1979	NA	NA	13.7	NA	NA	26.39	111.5	84.6
1980	NA	NA	3.5	NA	NA	28.93	108.2	79.3
1981	NA	NA	8.2	19,046	NA	31.93	110.5	78.3
1982	47,688	NA	-1.6	17,394	37.93	35.01	102.2	70.3
1983			7.0			37.35	110.2	74.0
1984							123.9	80.8
1985								
1986								

--U.S. MANUFACTURING-- MONTHLY DATA	Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
		(SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)											
Industrial Prod. Index	'83	102.4	103.5	104.9	106.3	107.9	109.0	111.2	113.1	115.2	115.9	116.2	116.8
	'84	119.6	121.0	122.0	122.8	123.2	124.1	125.4	125.9	125.6	125.5	126.0	125.8
	'85	121.2	125.2	126.4	125.9	126.6	127.1	126.8	127.0	127.9	127.5	128.1	
Capacity Utilization Rate (%)	'83	69.5	70.1	70.9	71.8	72.6	73.2	74.6	75.7	76.9	77.3	77.3	77.6
	'84^r	79.2	80.0	80.4	80.7	80.7	81.1	81.7	81.8	81.3	81.1	81.2	80.9
	'85	80.7	80.4	80.5	80.5	80.3	80.1	80.1	80.7	80.4	79.8	80.0	80.3

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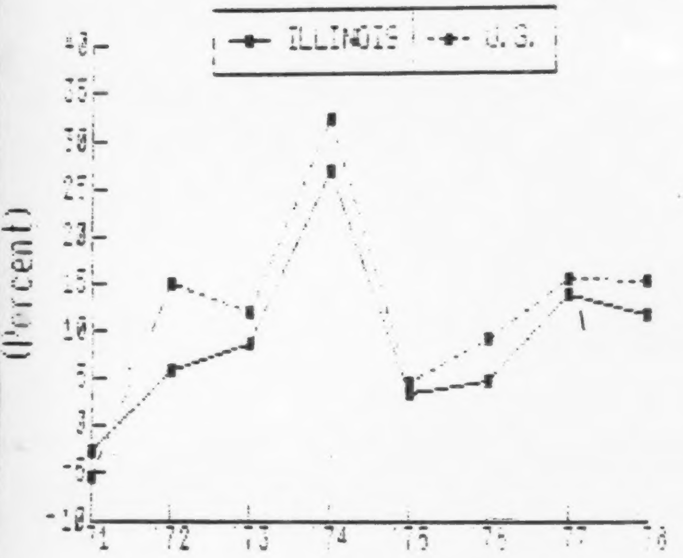
*Value of Production (Value Added) per manhour of work.

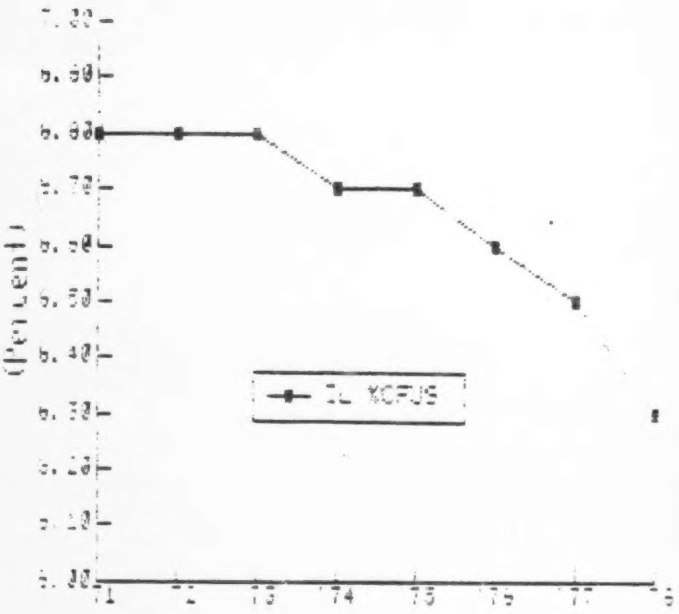
SOURCE: U.S. Department of Commerce, Federal Reserve System.

ILLINOIS CAPITAL IN MANUFACTURING

NEW CAPITAL EXPENDITURES
(Annual Percent Change)



GROSS BOOK VALUE OF DEPRECIABLE ASSETS
(Illinois as Percent of U.S.)



	(Millions of Dollars)					(Millions of Dollars)			
Year	Structures and Additions	Machinery and Equipment	Total	Total % Change Ill.	Total % Change U.S.	Structures and Buildings	Machinery and Equipment	Total	Illinois Percent of U.S.
1970	$402	$1,113	$1,515	--	--	$5,513	$12,849	$18,362	6.9
1971	448	1,028	1,476	-2.6	-9.2	5,796	13,165	18,962	6.8
1972	338	1,226	1,564	6.0	5.4	NA	NA	20,468*	6.8
1973	391*	1,308*	1,699	8.6	19.6	NA	NA	21,500*	6.8
1974	515	1,640	2,155	26.8	23.9	6,795	15,850	22,644	6.7
1975	494	1,734	2,229	3.4	2.3	7,172	17,486	24,658	6.7
1976	575	1,760	2,335	4.8	9.1	7,551	18,423	25,974	6.6
1977	531	2,131	2,662	14.0	15.3	8,029	20,298	28,327	6.5
1978	555	2,421	2,976	11.8	16.5	8,378	21,988	30,366	6.3
1979	NA	NA	NA	NA	22.1	NA	NA	NA	NA
1980	NA	NA	NA	NA	17.1	NA	NA	NA	NA
1981	NA	NA	NA	NA	12.7	9,819	27,649	37,468	
1982	556	2,815	3,371	NA	-4.6	10,095	29,160	39,255	
1983					-3.7				
1984					13.8				
1985**					10.5				

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*Estimate prepared by Illinois Department of Commerce and Community Affairs.

**Business plans to increase plant and equipment spending -- U.S. Dept. of Commerce survey (AUGUST).

SOURCE: Annual Survey of Manufacturers, U.S. Department of Commerce.

INTEREST RATES
(Average Percent)

				1985											
INSTRUMENT	1982	1983	1984	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Federal Funds	12.26	9.09	10.22	8.35	8.50	8.58	8.27	7.97	7.53	7.88	7.90	7.92	7.99	8.05	8.27
Discount Rate (NY Fed.)	11.02	8.50	8.80	8.00	8.00	8.00	8.00	7.81	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50
Prime Rate	14.86	11.16	12.04	10.61	10.50	10.50	10.50	10.31	9.78	9.50	9.50	9.50	9.50	9.50	9.50
U.S. Treas. Bills (Secondary Market)															
3 month	10.61	8.61	9.52	7.76	8.27	8.52	7.95	7.48	6.95	7.08	7.18	7.10	7.16	7.24	7.10
6 month	11.07	8.73	9.76	8.00	8.39	8.90	8.23	7.65	7.09	7.20	7.35	7.27	7.33	7.30	7.14
Eurodollar Depos. (3 mo.)	13.12	9.56	10.73	8.38	9.03	9.31	8.73	8.11	7.62	7.90	8.03	8.13	8.09	8.02	7.98
Bankers Accept. (90 day)	11.89	8.90	10.14	8.01	8.55	8.88	8.33	7.77	7.32	7.53	7.68	7.81	7.76	7.70	7.65
Commercial Paper															
1 month	11.83	8.87	10.05	7.99	8.46	8.74	8.31	7.80	7.34	7.53	7.70	7.83	7.81	7.84	7.87
3 month	11.89	8.88	10.10	8.03	8.54	8.90	8.37	7.83	7.35	7.40	7.56	7.83	7.80	7.77	7.75
6 month	11.89	8.89	10.16	8.15	8.69	9.23	8.47	7.88	7.38	7.34	7.55	7.86	7.79	7.69	7.62
Certificates of Deposit															
3 month	12.27	9.07	10.37	8.14	8.69	9.02	8.49	7.92	7.44	7.64	7.81	7.93	7.88	7.81	7.80
6 month	12.57	9.27	10.68	8.45	9.04	9.60	8.75	8.08	7.58	7.80	7.97	8.09	7.97	7.82	7.80
U.S. Treasury Bonds															
1 year	12.27	9.57	10.89	9.02	9.29	9.86	9.14	8.46	7.80	7.86	8.05	8.07	8.01	7.88	7.68
3 year	12.92	10.45	11.89	10.43	10.55	11.05	10.49	9.75	9.05	9.18	9.31	9.37	9.25	8.88	8.40
10 year	13.00	11.10	12.44	11.38	11.51	11.86	11.43	10.85	10.16	10.31	10.33	10.37	10.24	9.78	9.26
State & Local Bonds															
Moody's Aaa	10.88	8.80	9.61	9.15	8.91	9.15	8.95	8.52	8.24	8.34	8.49	8.70	8.30	8.00	7.98
"Bond Buyer" Series	11.66	9.51	10.10	9.51	9.65	9.77	9.42	9.01	8.69	8.81	9.08	9.27	9.08	8.54	8.43
Corporate Bonds Aaa	13.79	12.04	12.71	12.08	12.13	12.56	12.23	11.72	10.94	10.97	11.05	11.07	11.02	10.55	10.16
A - rated Utility Bond*	15.49	12.73	13.81	12.78	12.76	13.17	12.75	12.25	11.62	11.64	11.77	11.87	11.82	11.38	10.91
Conventional Mortgages	16.08	13.43	13.87	13.08	12.92	13.17	13.20	12.91	12.22	12.03	12.19	12.19	12.14	11.78	11.26
Dividend/Price Ratio															
Preferred Stocks	12.53	11.02	11.59	11.13	10.88	10.97	10.75	10.60	10.05	9.92	10.15	10.26	10.35	10.12	10.05
Common Stocks	5.81	4.40	4.64	4.51	4.30	4.37	4.37	4.31	4.21	4.14	4.23	4.32	4.28	4.06	3.88

* Changed from Aaa utility bonds because series was discontinued in January 1984.

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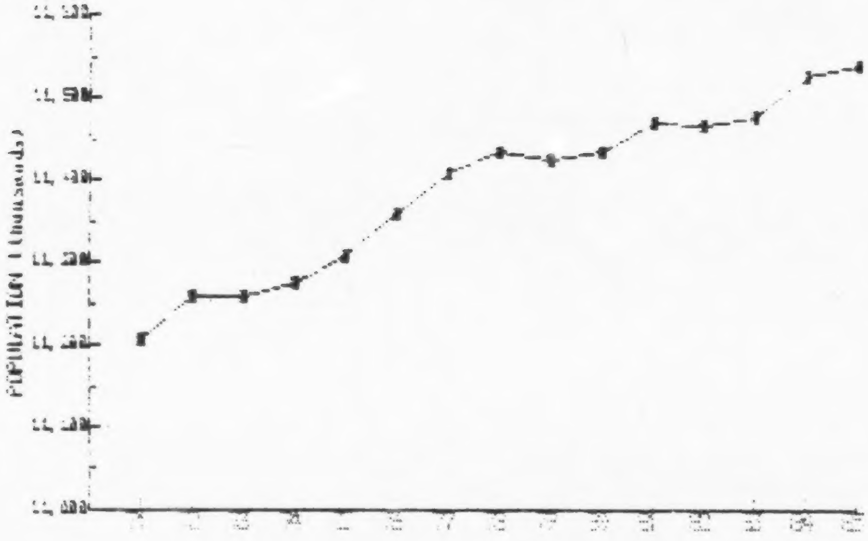
SOURCE: Federal Reserve System.

ILLINOIS POPULATION



POPULATION
(thousands)

RESIDENT POPULATION OF ILLINOIS

Year		Total	Change	Black	Components of Change Births	Deaths	Net Migration	Total Percent Change Ill.	U.S.
1970	(July 1 EST.)	11,125*		1,420	205,472	110,680	-13,800		
1971	(July 1 EST.)	11,206	+81		195,322	109,848	-33,500	0.7	1.5
1972	(July 1 EST.)	11,258	+52		178,222	111,298	-64,900	0.5	1.2
1973	(July 1 EST.)	11,260	+ 2	1,499	169,249	110,510	-44,700	0.0	1.0
1974	(July 1 EST.)	11,274	+14		169,215	108,171	-29,000	0.1	0.9
1975	(July 1 EST.)	11,306	+32	1,534	169,420	103,552	-11,900	0.3	1.0
1976	(July 1 EST.)	11,360	+54		170,257	103,665	-20,600	0.5	1.0
1977	(July 1 EST.)	11,406	+46		177,393	103,423	-45,900	0.4	1.0
1978	(July 1 EST.)	11,434	+28		174,509	103,026	-82,500	0.2	1.1
1979	(July 1 EST.)	11,423	-11		184,210	102,227	-71,900	-0.1	1.1
1980	(July 1 EST.)	11,433*	+10	1,675	190,058	N/A	N/A	0.1	1.2
1981	(July 1 EST.)	11,467	+34		N/A	N/A	-64,000	0.3	1.0
1982	(July 1 EST.)	11,466	-1				-86,000	0.0	1.0
1983	(July 1 EST.)	11,474	+8		N/A	N/A	-62,000	0.1	0.9
1984	(July 1 EST.)	11,522	+48				-35,000	0.4	0.9
1985	(July 1 PROV.)	11,535	+13				N/A	0.1	0.9

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*April 1, 1970 Census 11,110,258.
April 1, 1980 Census 11,426,518.

PROJECTIONS	Bureau of the Budget	National Planning Assoc.	U.S. Department of Commerce Projection	Percent of U.S. Total
1985	11,585	N/A	N/A	N/A
1990	11,688	N/A	11,617	4.66
2000	12,091	11,900	11,774	4.40
2010	12,554	N/A	N/A	N/A

SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of the Census - Estimates and Projections.

ILLINOIS EXPORTS

AGRICULTURE (millions)

Product	FY 1972	FY 1983	FY 1984	1984 Ill. as % of U.S.
Soybean & Prod.	$404	$1258	$1232	16.3
Feed Grains	214	1417	1751	19.3
Wheat & Flour	28	106	116	1.7
Meats & Prod.	13	54	43	3.6
Hides & Skins	8	26	36	2.7
Fats & Oils	10	18	22	3.1
Other	81	81	79	0.7
TOTAL	$758	$2959	$3279	8.6
ILLINOIS RANK	(1)	(1)	(2)	

EMPLOYMENT RELATED TO EXPORTS (thousands)

	1977	1981	1983
Agriculture*	75.6	72.6	
Manufacturing	140.1	157.0	110.0
Trade	30.9	48.0	58.8
Business Services	15.2	32.6	27.5
Transp., Com., & Util.	13.0	15.5	23.6
Other	21.7	22.3	13.2
TOTAL	296.5	348.0	
Percent of Total Employment	6.0%	6.8%	

MANUFACTURING EXPORTS (million dollars)

	1977			1983			Total Exports as % of Ill. Shpmts.	Employment Related to Mfg. Exports (thousands)	
	Direct	Indirect	Total	Direct	Indirect	Total	1981	1977	1983
Machines, exc. Elec.	2,892	566	3,458					40.8	
Primary Metal	186	1,088	1,273					14.0	
Food & Kindred	736	196	932					3.5	
Elec. Equip.	532	315	847					17.4	
Chemical & Allied	407	353	760					6.7	
Fabricated Metal	323	594	917					15.8	
Transp. Equip.	461	93	554					4.9	
Petroleum & Coal	53	145	198					.3	
Rubber & Plastic	74	143	217					4.5	
Instruments	254	57	312					6.7	
Paper & Allied	35	141	176					2.5	
Other	360	212	572					23.0	
TOTAL	6,313	3,903	10,216	6,362	5,455	11,817		140.1	110.0

TOTAL EXPORTS (millions)

	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984
Agriculture	$2,504	$2,752	$2,812	$2,923	$3,645	$3,871	$3,277	$2,959	$3,279
Manufacturing	10,433	10,216	10,511*	13,695*	16,445	17,039	16,511*	11,817	NA
Direct	(6,660)	(6,313)	NA	NA	(10,084)	(10,369)	(9,300)	(6,362)	NA
Indirect -	(3,773)	(3,903)	NA	NA	(6,360)	(6,670)	(7,211)	(5,455)	
Gross Total	12,937	12,788	13,323	16,618	20,090	20,910	19,788	14,776	
Less Duplication**	-963	-1029	-1,062*	-1,397*	-1,796	-1,534	-1,438	NA	
Net Total	$11,974	$11,759	$12,261	$15,221	$18,294	$19,376	$18,350	$ NA	
ILLINOIS RANK	(2)	(2)	(NA)	(NA)	(3)	(3)	(NA)	(NA)	

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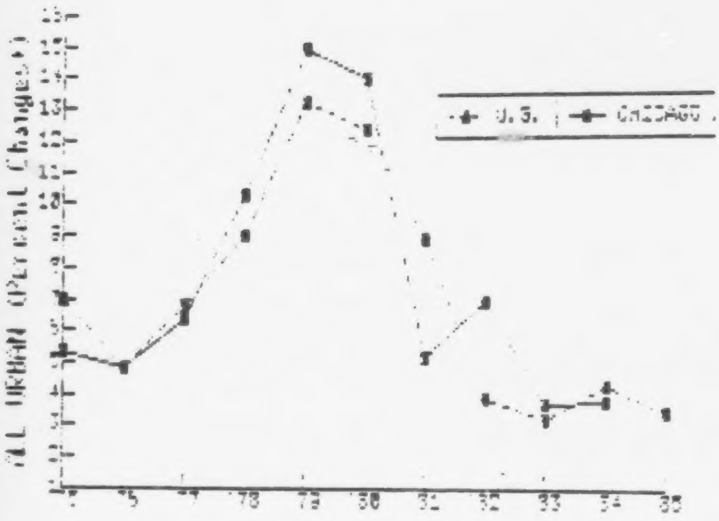
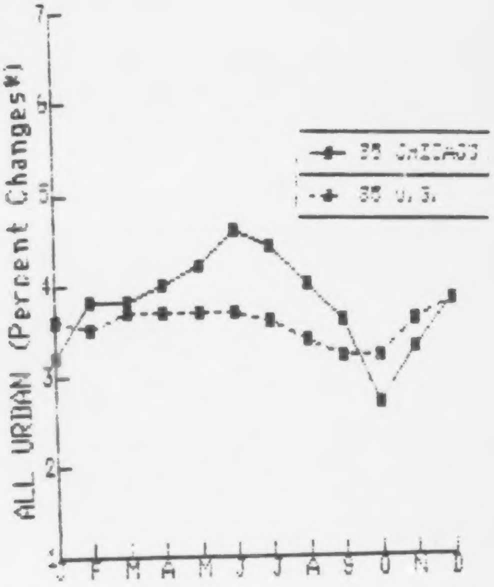
*Estimates prepared by Department of Commerce and Community Affairs

**Both Agriculture and Manufacturing include processed foods.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Agriculture, U.S. Department of Commerce.

U.S. AND CHICAGO/NORTHWESTERN INDIANA
CONSUMER PRICE INDEX
ALL ITEMS





ALL URBAN
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1985
MONTH
(1967=100)

			% Change from Preceeding Period*			ALL URBAN U.S.		ALL URBAN CHICAGO		URBAN WAGE EARNERS U.S.		URBAN WAGE EARNERS CHICAGO	
Year	U.S.	CHICAGO	U.S.	CHICAGO	Mo.	INDEX	% Chge from 1 yr. ago	INDEX	% Chge from 1 yr. ago	INDEX	% Chge from 1 yr. ago	INDEX	% Chge from 1 yr. ago
1971	121.3	120.8	3.4	2.6	Jan	316.1	3.6	315.1	3.2	312.6	3.3	302.5	1.4
1972	125.3	124.3	3.4	3.1	Feb	317.4	3.5	316.7	3.8	313.9	3.5	304.0	2.4
1973	133.1	132.0	8.8	8.5	Mar	318.8	3.7	317.4	3.8	315.3	4.0	304.7	2.8
1974	147.7	146.1	12.2	12.0	Apr	320.1	3.7	319.1	4.0	316.7	4.1	306.2	3.3
1975	161.2	157.6	7.0	5.3	May	321.3	3.7	319.8	4.2	317.8	4.1	306.9	3.5
1976	170.5	165.1	4.8	4.8	June	322.3	3.7	324.1	4.6	318.7	4.1	310.9	4.3
1977	181.5	175.6	6.8	6.4	July	322.8	3.6	324.4	4.4	319.1	3.8	311.1	4.0
1978	195.4	190.7	9.0	10.3	Aug	323.5	3.4	325.9	4.0	319.6	3.0	312.1	3.6
1979	217.4	214.6	13.3	15.0	Sept	324.5	3.2	326.3	3.6	320.5	2.7	312.1	2.6
1980	246.8	245.5	12.4	14.0	Oct	325.5	3.2	322.6	2.7	321.3	2.9	308.9	-1.0
1981	272.4	269.0	8.9	5.2	Nov	326.6	3.6	324.2	3.3	322.6	3.4	310.9	2.7
1982	289.1	287.4	3.9	7.0	Dec	327.4	3.8	325.9	3.8	323.4	3.6	312.6	3.6
1983	298.4	298.8	3.2	3.7									
1984	311.1	310.1	4.3	3.8									
1985**			3.5										
1986**			3.8, 3.3										
1987**			4.2, 3.9										

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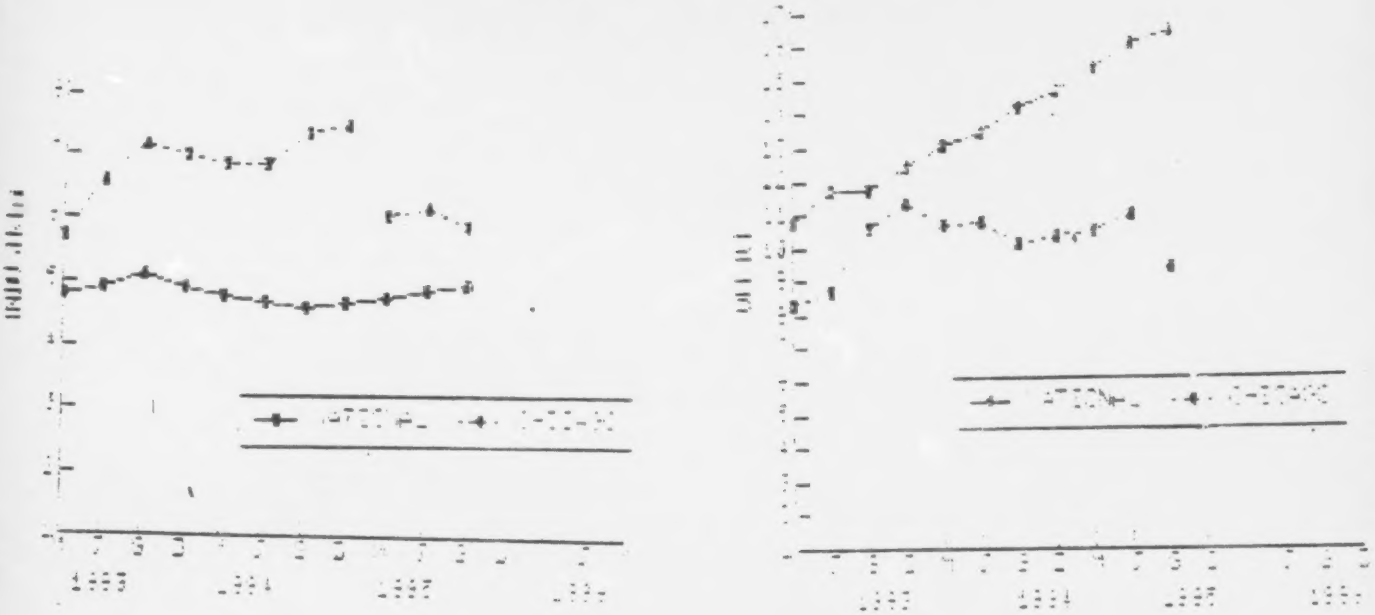
*Annual changes are from Dec. to Dec. (unadjusted).

**Chase Econometric Forecast (JANUARY), Data Resources Forecast (JANUARY), Average annual changes.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Labor.

INDUSTRIAL AND OFFICE VACANCY RATES



INDUSTRIAL VACANCY RATES**

	1983				1984				1985			
	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D
National	4.8	4.9	5.1	4.9	4.8	4.7	4.6	4.7	4.8	4.9	5.0	
Chicago	5.7	6.6	7.2	7.0	6.9	6.9	7.4	7.5	6.1	6.2	5.9	
Southern California	5.2	5.8	5.6	5.0	5.0	5.3	5.0	5.4	5.7	6.3	6.3	
Philadelphia	6.3	5.7	5.3	5.2	4.7	4.3	3.5	3.5	3.7	3.4	3.0	
Houston	3.7	3.7	5.7	5.6	5.4	4.8	5.0	6.7	10.7	10.7	11.1	
St. Louis^{r}	4.1	4.9	4.8	6.0	6.2	5.2	4.7	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.2	

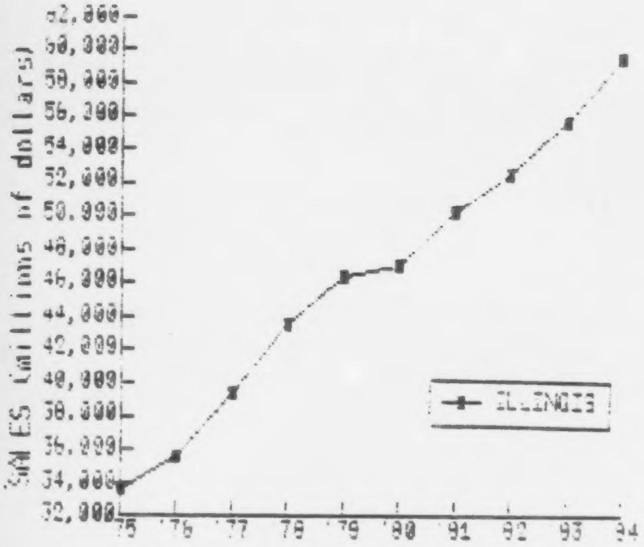
*Percentage of vacant or available space to total amount of industrial space in buildings of 100,000 sq. ft. or more in 19 metro areas.

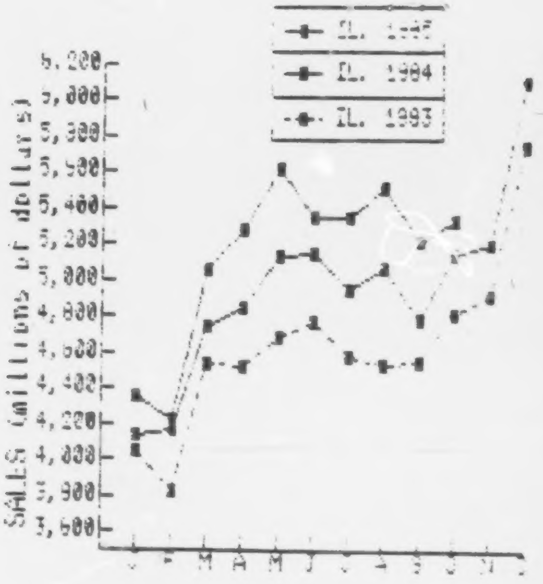
OFFICE VACANCY RATES**

	1983				1984				1985			
	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D
National	10.8	11.7	11.7	12.4	13.1	13.5	14.2	14.7	15.4	16.1	16.5	
New York	3.4	4.2	3.6	3.7	4.5	6.5	6.6	8.3	8.5	10.4	10.0	
Chicago	8.3	8.7	10.6	11.3	10.7	10.8	10.1	10.4	10.5	11.0	9.4	
Suburban	18.7	18.0	16.1	15.8	13.8	13.4	13.8	16.8	18.7	19.0	18.9	
Los Angeles	11.6	13.0	13.1	12.3	12.2	11.8	12.9	11.8	12.4	12.8	13.5	
Phil'phia	11.6	9.4	9.0	8.6	8.8	9.6	10.1	9.0	8.0	8.2	8.8	
Houston	8.9	12.1	12.5	14.6	18.5	21.1	20.9	20.9	19.5	20.2	19.3	
St. Louis	10.6	8.5	8.5	12.0	10.5	9.5	10.7	9.8	11.0	10.9	10.4	

**Percentage of vacant space for lease or rent to total square footage in office buildings surveyed in 22 downtown areas.
SOURCE: Coldwell Banker.

ILLINOIS SALES OF ALL RETAIL STORES





ANNUAL
(millions)

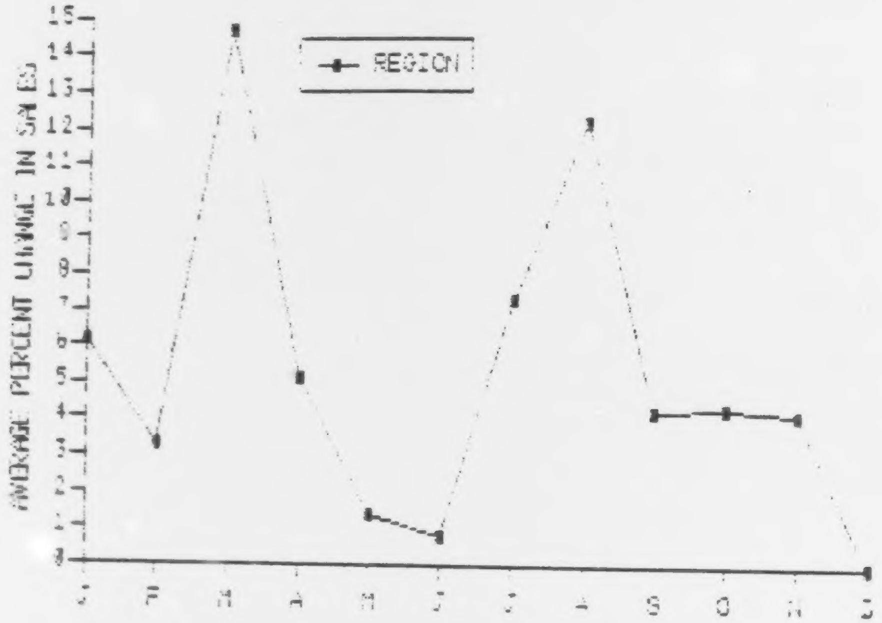
Year	------AMOUNT------ Ill.	Chicago SMSA°	Chicago City	--PERCENT CHANGE--- Ill.	Chicago SMSA°	Chicago City	U.S.
1975	33,643	21,239	8,774	8.2	5.7	0.9	8.7
1976	35,593	23,772	9,492	5.8	11.9	8.2	11.8
1977**	39,337	26,014	9,442	10.5	9.4	-0.5	10.3
1978	43,523	28,780	10,718	10.6	10.6	13.5	11.3
1979	46,324	31,054	10,939	6.4	7.9	2.1	11.5
1980	46,999	31,537	10,689	1.4	1.6	-2.3	2.9
1981	50,122	32,586	10,958	6.6	3.3	2.5	8.8
1982	52,465	34,692	10,967	4.7	6.5	0.1	2.7
1983	55,566	36,713	11,094	5.9	5.8	1.2	6.7
1984	59,468	39,697	12,505	7.0	8.1	12.7	10.5
1985							6.3

MONTH*
(millions)
1985

Mo.	Ill.	Chicago SMSA°	Chicago City	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago Ill.	Chicago SMSA°	Chicago City	U.S.
Jan	4,366	2,877	873	5.5	5.1	5.2	6.5
Feb	4,232	2,831	849	1.5	0.7	-3.3	2.1
Mar	5,062	3,299	968	6.6	5.0	-2.3	5.5
Apr	5,283	3,400	1,010	4.2	4.5	0.4	8.1
May	5,623	3,636	1,053	9.4	6.2	-2.5	7.6
Jun	5,347	3,405	1,020	3.7	-0.9	-4.0	2.3
Jul	5,350	3,543	1,108	7.8	8.8	6.5	8.1
Aug	5,512	3,716	1,143	8.1	11.2	3.6	9.0
Sep^r	5,217	3,526	1,063	8.8	11.2	2.3	9.8
Oct^p	5,342	3,613	1,139	4.0	5.6	--	6.0
Nov^p							4.6
Dec^p							5.8

°SMSA data will not be revised for new PMSA/MSA/CSA configurations until 1987.
p=preliminary
*Data are not adjusted for seasonal variations, holidays, or trading-day differences.
**Extensive modifications to monthly survey begin with April, 1977 data.
SOURCE: Monthly Retail Trade, U.S. Department of Commerce.

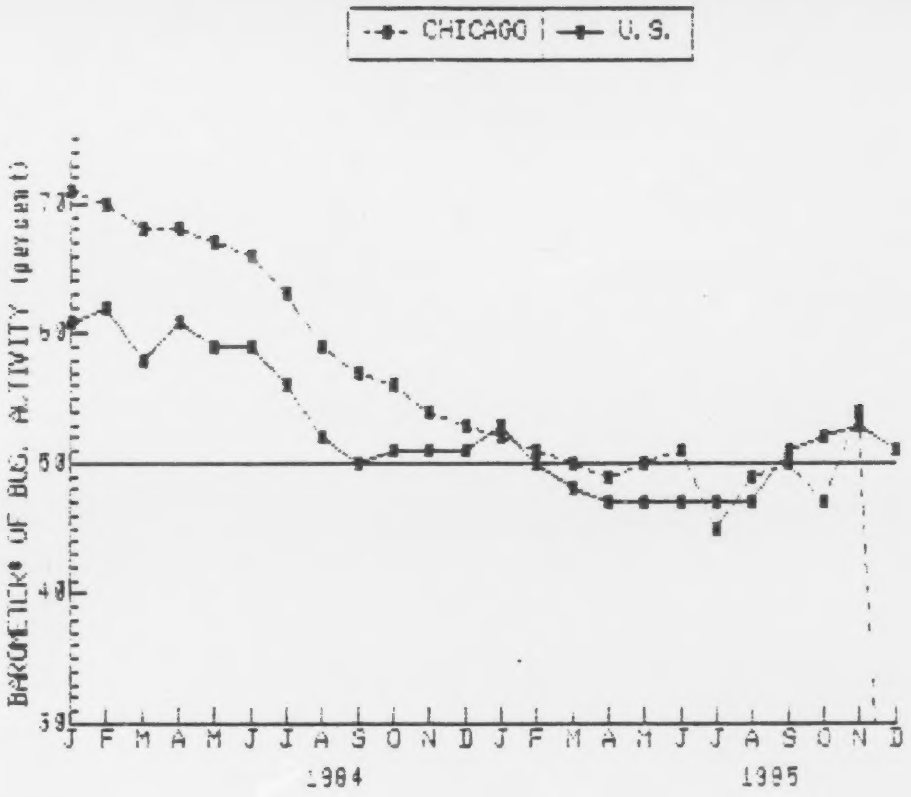
RETAILERS SALES COMPARISON



	GROSS SALES RECEIPTS AVERAGE % CHANGE FROM 1 YEAR AGO				TOTAL REGIONAL AVERAGE CHANGE IN SALES BY TYPE		
MONTH	REGION*	CHICAGO	NO. ILL.	CEN./ SOUTH	DEPT.	SPECIALITY	OTHER
YEAR 1984	8.28%	8.99%	6.11%	6.34%	8.91%	2.37%	3.85%
1985							
JAN	6.13	8.91	-3.02	0.99	6.17	8.76	0.90
FEB	3.31	5.04	4.51	-5.50	3.10	6.83	3.06
MAR	14.65	15.73	9.68	10.85	15.19	17.23	0.82
APR	5.15	7.65	-4.81	0.68	5.35	7.18	-0.55
MAY	1.35	2.71	-4.24	-0.42	1.58	-1.34	1.07
JUNE	0.82	2.02	-5.46	-1.71	0.99	-0.48	-0.13
JULY	7.32	9.37	-1.48	3.46	7.91	2.37	4.56
AUG	12.26	14.98	3.53	3.91	12.21	13.18	11.75
SEPT	4.25	3.75	8.98	2.29	4.23	7.94	-0.44
OCT	4.30	6.14	-1.65	-3.66	4.18	3.88	6.61
NOV	4.15	5.02	2.12	0.08	3.89	8.82	4.61
DEC							
Year to Date	5.53%	7.02%	1.99%	1.71%	5.45%	7.93%	3.56%

*Regional figures include Chicago, Northern Illincis, Central/Southern Illinois, and Northern Indiana.
SOURCE: Illinois Retail Merchants Association.

PURCHASING MANAGERS SURVEY



1984-1985**

		J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
BAROMETER (Composite Index* of Business Activity-Actual)													
CHICAGO	1984	71	70	68	68	67	66	63	59	57	56	54	53
	1985	52	51	50	49	50	51	45	49	50	47	54	
U.S.	1984 -	61	62	58	61	59	59	56	52	50	51	51	51
	1985 -	53	50	48	47	47	47	47	47	51	52	53	51

1985 CHICAGO SERIES ITEM INDEX*

PRODUCTION	54	64	55	67	54	56	47	56	55	50	58
NEW ORDERS	55	60	55	70	50	53	48	52	54	49	61
ORDER BACKLOG	45	52	51	51	42	48	37	45	46	41	50
INVENTORIES	51	56	46	57	46	45	41	46	45	48	46
EMPLOYMENT	47	51	49	52	46	48	44	45	45	42	43
VENDOR DEL.	53	52	54	56	56	56	57	59	58	54	58
PRICES PAID	58	55	54	52	47	48	50	49	46	42	50

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*Index of 50 or above indicates expansion, less than 50 means contraction
**Barometer data is seasonally adjusted; all other data not seasonally adjusted.
SOURCE: Purchasing Management Association of Chicago

ILLINOIS
STATE GOVERNMENT

STATE TRANSACTIONS - GENERAL FUNDS, 1985
(millions)

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
BEGINNING AVAILABLE BALANCE	$331	$480	$496	$580	$591	$680	$479	$611	$528	$461	$354	$208
Revenues:												
Income Tax	333	227	321	405	387	248	305	217	280	286	$203	$287
Sales Tax	279	274	231	254	258	220	278	292	226	309	218	313
Other	216	101	138	128	121	118	87	119	104	127	63	137
Transfers In	76	56	59	57	54	49	66	68	68	57	74	62
Federal	140	151	129	115	153	124	117	153	127	117	122	127
TOTAL REVENUES	1,044	809	878	959	973	759	853	849	807	896	680	926
Expenditures:												
Public Aid	236	216	260	245	253	223	266	255	241	250	217	234
Common School Fund	219	144	144	143	144	287	--	163	174	164	163	167
Operations	229	224	232	221	198	162	222	265	260	269	236	260
Other	142	133	70	268	219	226	166	181	142	245	149	109
Transfers Out	69	76	63	71	70	62	67	68	57	75	61	56
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	895	793	794	948	884	960	721	932	874	1003	826	826
ENDING AVAILABLE BALANCE	480	496	580	591	680	479	611	528	461	354	208	308

STATE EMPLOYMENT AND PAYROLL - 1985

	TOTAL		ALL AGENCIES EXCEPT EDUCATION		EDUCATION	
1985	Employees	Payrolls (000)	Employees	Payrolls (000)	Employees	Payrolls (000)
January	114,411	$198,847	76,843	$143,533	37,568	$55,314
February	116,578	199,100	77,089	143,066	39,489	56,034
March	116,757	196,989	77,436	140,258	39,321	56,731
April	117,155	196,701	77,757	140,694	39,398	56,007
May	116,287	195,075	78,017	142,016	38,270	53,060
June	110,833	203,051	79,702	146,543	31,131	56,508
July	110,566	202,491	79,970	149,782	30,596	52,709
August	114,650	207,652	80,257	150,386	34,393	57,266
September	118,514	212,906	78,499	149,527	40,015	63,379
October	120,223	214,484	78,507	149,934	41,716	64,550
November	121,453	218,017	78,597	151,386	42,856	66,631
December						

SOURCE: Office of the Controller

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ADDENDUM

Among the changes to note in this and upcoming issues of the Bi-Monthly Economic Data Sheets are the repagination of most the graphs and tables, the resumption of the monthly and annual reporting of Cash Receipts from Farm Marketings (on page 3), and the important addition of several series dealing with unemployment (now on page 7).

The four new unemployment tables are:

1. Job Losers as a Percent of Unemployed (for the state and the nation on a monthly basis for the current year, with graph);
2. Mean Duration in Weeks (average length of time unemployed, for the state and the nation on a monthly basis for the current year, with graph);
3. Number of Unemployed (for the state, on a monthly basis in units of thousands of persons, for the current year. Definitions for terminology follow);
4. Duration (for the state, in units of thousands of persons, by number of weeks unemployed, on a monthly basis for the current year).

The categories employed for Table 3, Number of Unemployed, have been defined by the U.S. Department of Labor as:

Unemployed persons are all civilians who had no employment during the survey week, were available for work, except for temporary illness, and (a) had made specific efforts to find employment sometime during the prior 4 weeks, or (b) were waiting to be recalled to a job from which they had been laid off, or (c) were waiting to report to a new job within 30 days.

Duration of unemployment represents the length of time (through the current survey week) during which persons classified as unemployed had been continuously looking for work. For persons on layoff, duration of unemployment represents the number of full weeks since the termination of their most recent employment. A period of two weeks or more during which a person was employed or ceased looking for work is considered to break the continuity of the present period of seeking work. Measurements of mean and median duration are computed from a distribution of single weeks of unemployment.

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Unemployment is also categorized according to the status of individuals at the time they began to look for work. The reasons for unemployment are divided into four major groups. (1) Job losers are persons whose employment ended involuntarily who immediately began looking for work, and persons on layoff. (2) Job leavers are persons who quit or otherwise terminated their employment voluntarily and immediately began looking for work. (3) Reentrants are persons who previously worked at a full-time job lasting 2 weeks or longer but were out of the labor force prior to beginning to look for work. (4) New entrants are persons who never worked at a full-time job lasting 2 weeks or longer. Each of these four categories of the unemployed may be expressed as an unemployment rate or proportion of the entire civilian labor force; the sum of the four rates thus equals the unemployment rate for all civilian workers.

SOURCE: Current Population Survey, U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics (A-14; A-40).

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MONTHLY HIGHLIGHTS
FEBRUARY/MARCH, 1986

NATIONAL

Real GNP growth for the fourth quarter was revised, to 0.7 percent from January's 2.4 percent annual rate preliminary estimate. Growth over the year was 2.1 percent.

Most Federal Reserve Banks lowered their discount rates in March from 7.5 percent to 7.0 percent. Major banks then cut their prime lending rates from 9.5 percent to 9.0 percent.

The producer price index for all finished goods fell 1.6 percent in February, after a 0.7 percent decline in January. The last two months' declines were the largest in three years.

The personal saving rate rose to 4.7 percent in February, its highest level since July of last year. Annual savings rates in 1984 and 1985 were 6.5 percent and 4.6 percent, respectively. Consumer spending increased 0.3 percent in February after a 0.4 percent decline at the start of the year. Consumer installment debt rose $6.9 billion in January, compared with average increases of $5.2 billion in December and November.

Personal income rose 0.6 percent both before and after taxes in February. The advance was slim in January, only 0.1 percent.

Retail sales were off 0.1 percent in February, following a 0.2 percent drop in January. February's retail sales are 4.7 percent, at an annual rate, above their level in the fourth quarter.

The consumer price indexes, CPI-U and CPI-W, each fell 0.3 percent in February, unadjusted; it was the largest monthly decline in over 32 years. Each rose 0.3 percent in January. The energy and food components contributed most to the overall decline, by 6.8 perent and 1.0 percent, respectively.

Real construction expenditures increased 0.7 percent in February after jumping 2.6 percent in January. Private residential advanced 1.1%, private nonresidential declined 1.1%, and public construction increased 3.4%.

Industrial production declined 0.6 percent in February and increased just 0.1 percent in January. Capacity utilization over the same period was 80.0 percent and 80.6 percent, respectively.

The current account deficit rose to a record $36.6 billion in the fourth quarter. This brought the 1985 total to $117.7 billion, due primarily to the widening of the merchandise trade deficit.

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STATE

Total personal income in 1985 increased at about half the rate of 1984 in the U.S. The rate of increase in Illinois income is slightly less than for the U.S.

Monthly cash receipts from farm marketings for the latest periods, October and November, were up 39.3 percent, to $1088 million, and 74.5 percent, to $1131 million, respectively. For the year to date, Illinois had an 18.3 percent increase over 1984 compared to a 0.1 percent decline for the U.S.

Total bituminous coal production for 1985 was down from 1984, to 60,770,000 tons. However, production for the first two months of 1986 was up: 5,813 thousand tons in January, and 5,308 thousand tons in February.

Total contracts for future construction in January, 1986 was valued at $347 million, and 11.47 percent decline from January, 1985 for Illinois compared to a 14 percent decline in U.S. The year as a whole was up 2.8 percent over 1984.

The state labor force total for the first two months of 1986 was 5,666,000 and 5,694,000; the total number employed represents an increase of 1.0 percent over the same period last year. Manufacturing employment in January was off 2.6 percent from last year, at 963,000.

Average hourly earnings for production workers dropped to $10.53 in January, from $10.57 a month earlier. Average weekly hours and wages declined also, to 40.7 and $428.57, respectively.

The seasonally adjusted state unemployment rate bounced up 1.8 percent to 9.5 percent in February, from 7.7 percent in January; it was the largest monthly gain since October, 1974, but may have been significantly influenced by technical problems associated with data collection.

New business incorporations in 1985, while off 15.8 percent in December from a year ago, showed an overall 5.3 percent increase over 1984, a rate which matched the nation as a whole.

Consumer prices declined in February for both of the Chicago area indexes: CPI-U, 324.4; CPI-W, 312.8. As at the national level, the drop in energy prices affected the indexes significantly: gasoline prices were down 8.8 percent, while fuel oil costs were down 13.1 percent.

Retail sales increased in November and December, for an estimated $63,102 million total statewide for 1985. This was a 6.1 percent increase over 1984.

Monthly gross sales receipts in 1985 were up 5.17 percent statewide. Chicago's receipts increased 6.29 percent for the year; the largest increases occurred in March and August.

A monthly barometer of business activity, the Purchasing Manager's Survey for Chicago shows marked improvement in its composite index for January, up to 57 from 51 in January last year.

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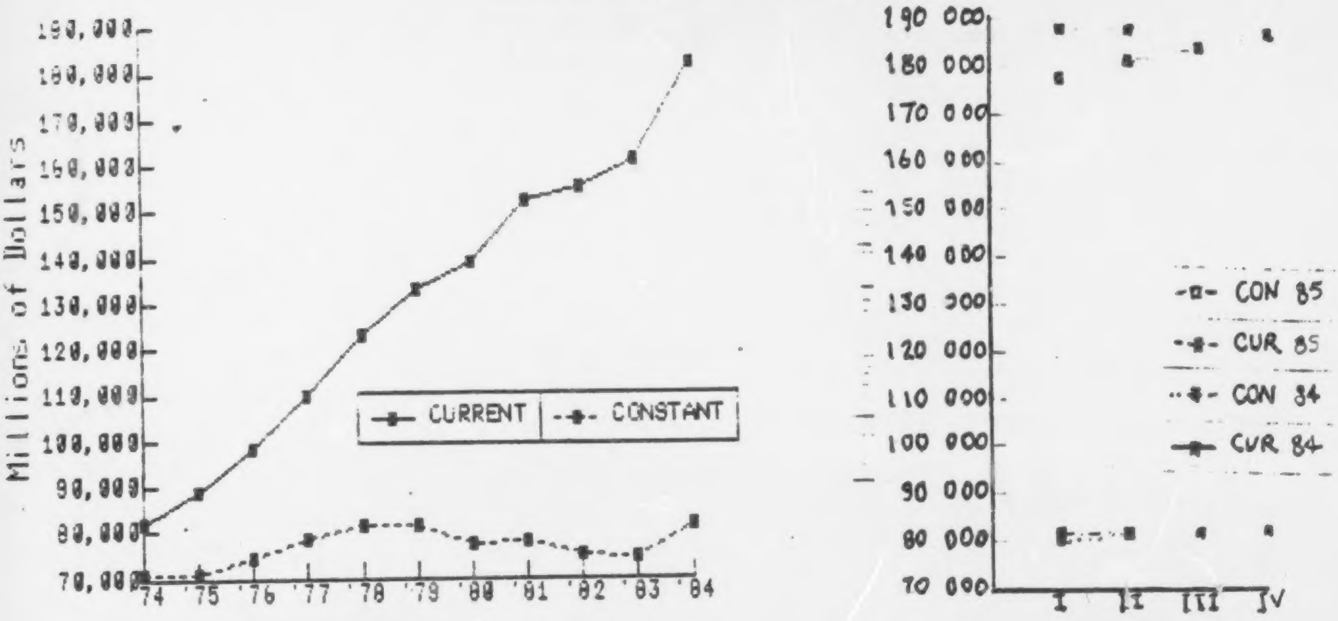
ILLINOIS GROSS STATE PRODUCT



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(millions)

QUARTER*
(millions)

Year	Current	Constant (1972=100)	Constant $ Percent Change ILL.	U.S.
1971	63,278	65,901	0.4	3.4
1972	67,983	67,983	3.2	5.7
1973	76,294	72,111	6.1	5.8
1974	81,929	71,193	-1.3	-0.6
1975	89,039	70,784	-0.6	-1.2
1976	98,244	74,236	4.9	5.4
1977	109,876	78,455	5.7	5.5
1978	122,730	81,591	4.0	5.0
1979	132,893	81,319	-0.3	2.8
1980	138,463	77,510	-4.7	-0.3
1981	152,141	77,963	0.6	2.5
1982	155,007	74,926	-3.9	-2.1
1983	160,567	74,564	-0.5	3.7
1984	182,335	81,618	9.5r	6.6r
1985				2.3r
1986				2.5, 2.7**
1987				2.6, 2.6**
1988				2.9, 2.6**

Year	Current	Constant (1972=100)	Constant $ % Change at Annual Rate Ill.	U.S.
1984				
I	177,830	80,619	17.7	10.1
II	181,286	81,513	4.5	7.1
III	183,592	81,753	1.2	1.6
IV	186,485	82,479	3.6	0.6
1985r				
I	187,556	81,877	-2.9	3.7
II	187,928	81,513	-1.8	1.1
III				3.0
IV				1.2r

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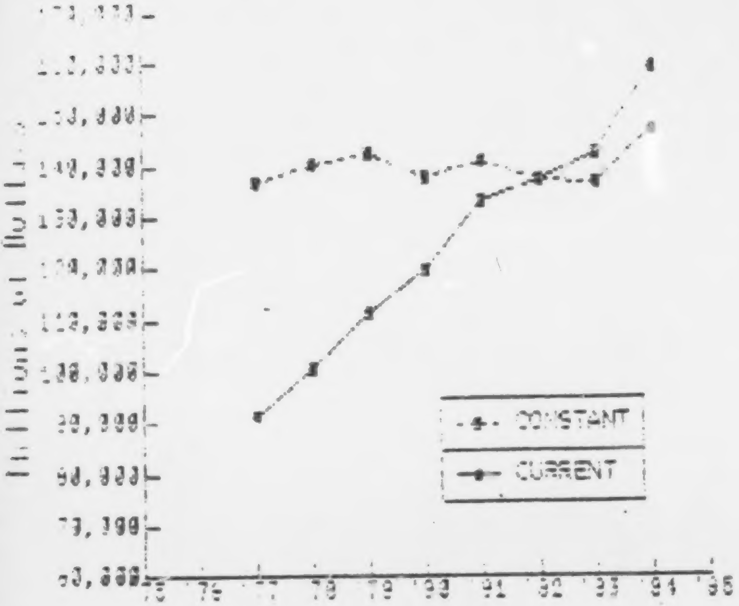
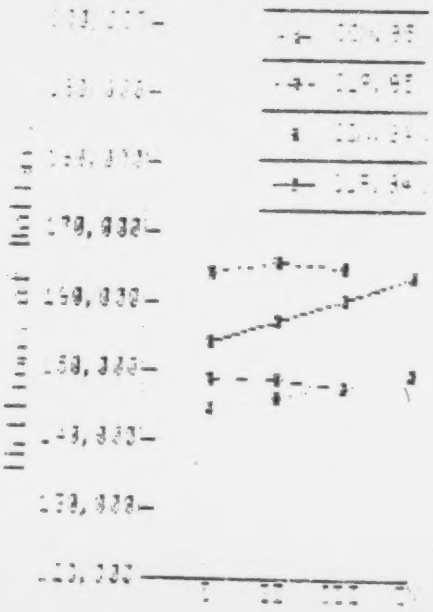
*Seasonally adjusted at annual rates.

**Chase Econometrics Forecast (JANUARY), Data Resources Forecast (FEBRUARY).

SOURCE: Illinois Department of Commerce and Community Affairs.

ILLINOIS TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME





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Year	Amount (millions) Cur-rent	Con-stant**	Percentage Change Current ILL.	U.S.	Constant ILL.	U.S.	Current $ Per Capita Personal Income ILL.	U.S.
1977	91,253	136,811	10.0	10.8	4.0	4.7	8,000	6,984
1978	100,567	140,457	10.2	12.5	2.7	5.1	8,795	7,772
1979	111,264	142,281	10.6	12.1	1.3	2.9	9,741	8,651
1980	119,451	137,934	7.4	11.0	-3.1	0.8	10,448	9,494
1981	133,125	140,724	11.5	12.2	2.0	3.5	11,609	10,544
1982	137,419	137,419	3.2	5.9	-2.4	0.6	11,985	11,113
1983	142,194	136,857	3.5	6.2	-0.4	2.1	12,393	11,690
1984	158,875	146,835	11.7	9.7r	7.3	6.4	13,802	12,726
1985			5.8	5.9r		2.8		13,343
1986				5.3, 5.7***				
1987				6.4, 6.0***				
1988				5.9, 7.1***				

QUARTER

	Amount (millions)	% Change at Annual Rates ILL.	U.S.
1984 CURRENT			
I	154,028	18.8	12.4
II	157,213	8.5	9.1
III	160,541	8.7	8.7
IV	163,720	8.2	6.6
1984 CONSTANT			
I	144,356	3.1	7.8
II	146,109	5.0	6.0
III	147,692	4.4	5.0
IV	149,380	4.6	4.0
1985 CURRENT			
I	164,277	1.4	6.2
II	165,753	3.6	4.0
III	165,131	-1.5	2.6
IV			4.8
1985 CONSTANT			
I	148,937	-1.2	3.5
II	148,924	0.0	0.3
III	147,570	-3.7	0.5
IV			0.5

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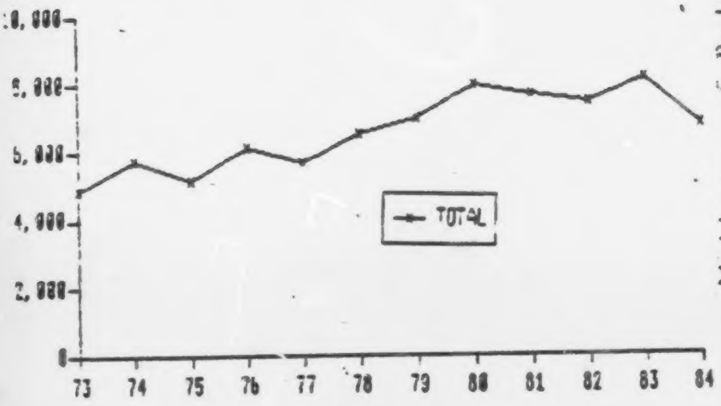
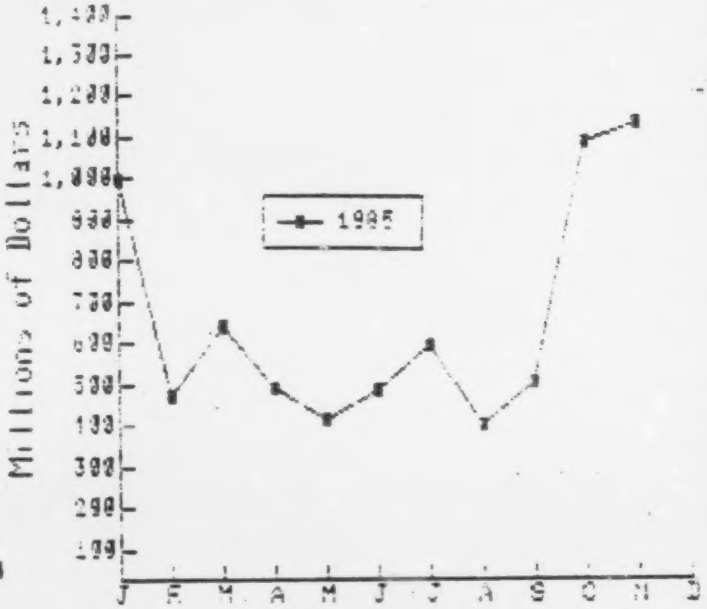
*Seasonally adjusted at annual rates.
**Personal Consumption Expenditures deflator for U.S. (1982=100).
***Chase Econometric Forecast (JANUARY), Data Resources Forecast (FEBRUARY).
SOURCE: Survey of Current Business, U.S. Department of Commerce.

ILLINOIS
CASH RECEIPTS FROM FARM MARKETINGS





ANNUAL
(millions)

Year	Livestock	Crops	Total	Total Percent Change ILL.	Total Percent Change U.S.
1970	1,314	1,496	2,810	1.2	4.9
1971	1,188	1,548	2,736	-2.6	4.8
1972	1,488	1,832	3,319	21.3	15.7
1973	1,923	2,959	4,882	47.1	42.3
1974	1,799	3,933	5,731	17.4	6.1
1975	1,873	3,320	5,193	-9.4	-4.6
1976	1,847	4,290	6,134	18.1	7.4
1977	1,874	3,823	5,697	-7.1	0.8
1978	2,127	4,430	6,556	15.1	16.9
1979	2,383	4,584	6,967	6.3	17.1
1980	2,321	5,650	7,971	14.4	5.9
1981	2,225	5,420	7,645	-4.1	2.6
1982	2,373	5,062	7,434	-2.8	-0.1
1983	2,340	5,780	8,120	9.2	-3.2
1984	2,182	4,556	6,738	-5.7	7.2

MONTH^r
(millions)

1985 Month	Live-stock	Crops	Total	Total % Change from 1 Year Ago ILL.	Total % Change from 1 Year Ago U.S.
Jan	$222	$773	$995	14.9	4.2
Feb	191	280	471	-1.2	0.9
Mar	169	469	638	3.6	-4.0
Apr	188	305	493	8.0	0.9
May	188	224	412	-26.8	-13.2
June	185	300	485	19.2	1.5
July	179	419	598	9.7	2.6
Aug	164	236	400	8.3	-8.5
Sept	162	344	506	34.4	0.9
Oct	159	929	1088	39.3	NA
Nov	188	943	1131	74.5	NA
Dec					
CUMULATIVE THRU LATEST MONTH SHOWN ABOVE				18.3	-0.1

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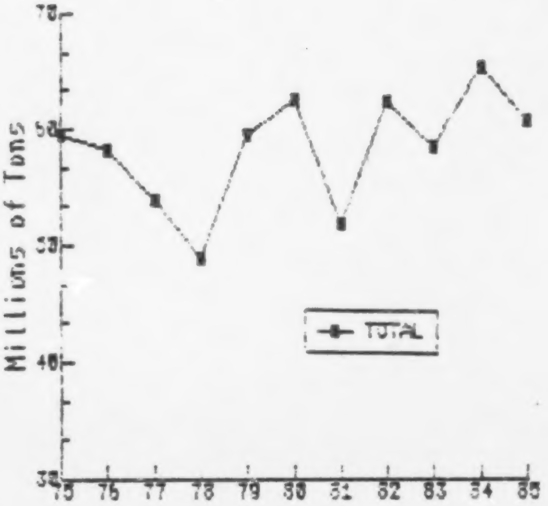
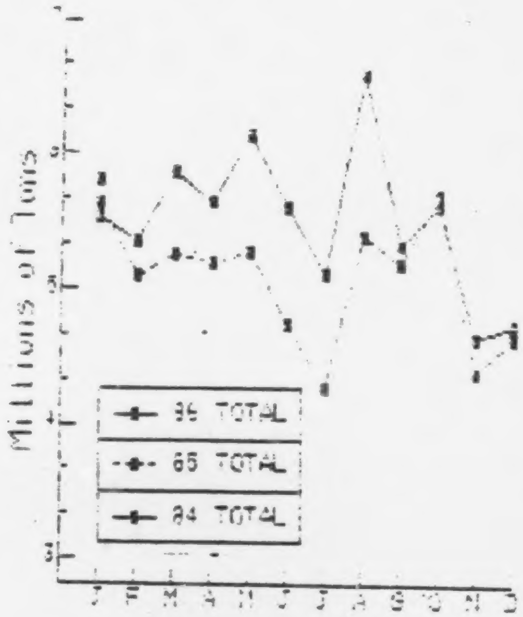
r - revised.

SOURCE: Agricultural Outlook, U.S. Department of Agriculture.

ILLINOIS BITUMINOUS COAL PRODUCTION





ANNUAL
(thousands of tons)

Year	SURFACE	UNDERGROUND	TOTAL	PERCENT TOTAL OF U.S.
1970	33,269	31,615	64,884	10.8
1971	28,961	29,454	58,415s	10.6
1972	33,806	31,715	65,621	11.0
1973	28,971	32,578	61,549	10.4
1974	26,969	31,104	58,073	9.6
1975	27,659	31,880	59,539	9.2
1976	27,224	30,912	58,136	8.6
1977	24,291	29,589	53,880	7.7
1978	23,855	24,889	48,744s	7.3
1979	26,857	32,681	59,538	7.6
1980	27,574	34,968	62,542	7.5
1981	22,563	29,236	51,799s	6.3
1982	25,750	36,477	62,227	7.4
1983r	25,003	33,370	58,373	7.5
1984r	25,344	39,945	65,289	7.5
1985p	21,783	38,987	60,770	

MONTHLY
(thousands of tons)

Month	TOTAL 1985	1986 SURFACE	1986 UNDERGROUND	1986 TOTAL
Jan	5,620	2,079	3,734	5,813
Feb	5,098	1,905	3,403	5,308
March	5,258			
April	5,196			
May	5,266			
June	4,750			
July	4,269			
Aug	5,384			
Sept	5,193			
Octr	5,714			
Nov	4,389			
Dec	4,633			

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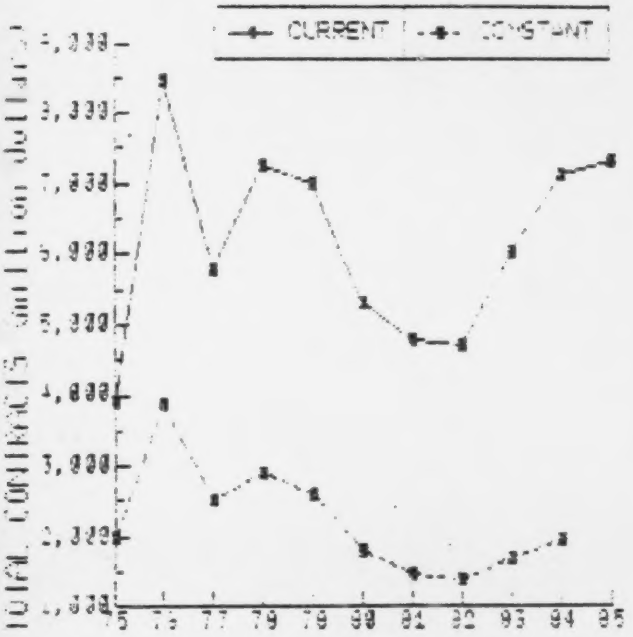
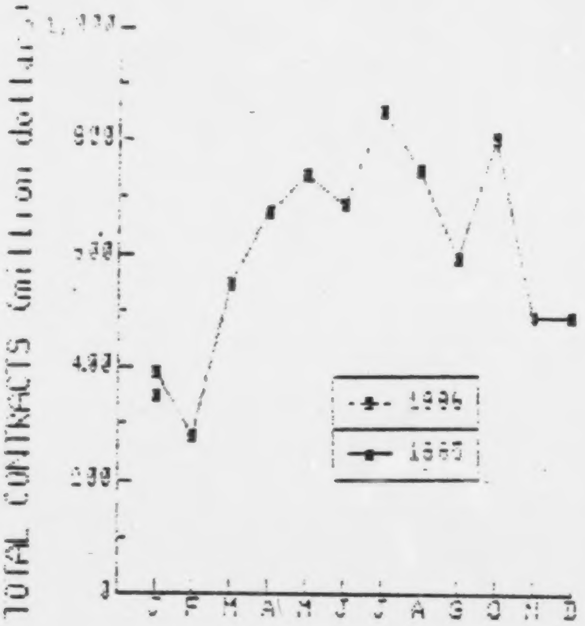
r - revised p - preliminary
s - Affected by major strike activity.
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Mines and Minerals.

ILLINOIS CONTRACTS FOR FUTURE* CONSTRUCTION





ANNUAL
(millions)

Year	Residential	Non-Res.	Non-Bldg.	TOTAL Current Amount	TOTAL Constant Amount**	TOTAL Current Percent Change Ill.	TOTAL Current Percent Change U.S.
1975	1,363	1,482	1,062	3,907	1,988	-10.7	-1.1
1976	2,172	1,591	4,697	8,459	3,886	116.5	22.3
1977	3,183	1,641	962	5,786	2,511	-31.6	26.5
1978	3,463	2,200	1,599	7,262	2,905	25.5	13.4
1979	2,788	2,498	1,711	6,997	2,576	-3.6	4.0
1980	1,702	2,192	1,408	5,302	1,786	-24.4	-13.0
1981	1,579	2,240	962	4,781	1,471	-9.8	1.2
1982	1,435	1,977	1,284	4,696	1,393	-1.0	0.7
1983	2,338	2,242	1,439	6,020	1,678	28.2	23.0
1984	2,435	2,829	1,834	7,099	1,946	17.2	8.4
1985	2,607	3,027	1,667	7,301		2.8	5.8
1986**						3.0	2.1
1987							

MONTH
(millions)

1985 Month	Residential	Non-Res.	Non-Bldg.	TOTAL Amt.	TOTAL % Change from 1 Year Ago Ill.	TOTAL % Change from 1 Year Ago U.S.
Jan	$88	$203	$101	$392	43	-9.7
Feb	89	146	45	280	-48	-5.9
Mar	201	183	162	546	-7	6.4
Apr	248	312	113	673	25	17.3
May	238	275	228	741	-4	0.8
June	249	184	257	690	30	-5.8
July	353	389	110	852	--	14.8
Aug	264	298	186	748	-3	7.5
Sept	236	276	84	596	16	1.0
Oct	289	343	172	804	66	2.0
Nov	188	244	56	488	1	-5.0
Dec	164	174	153	491	-31	-1.7
1986						
Jan	117	157	73	347	-11	-14
Feb						+11

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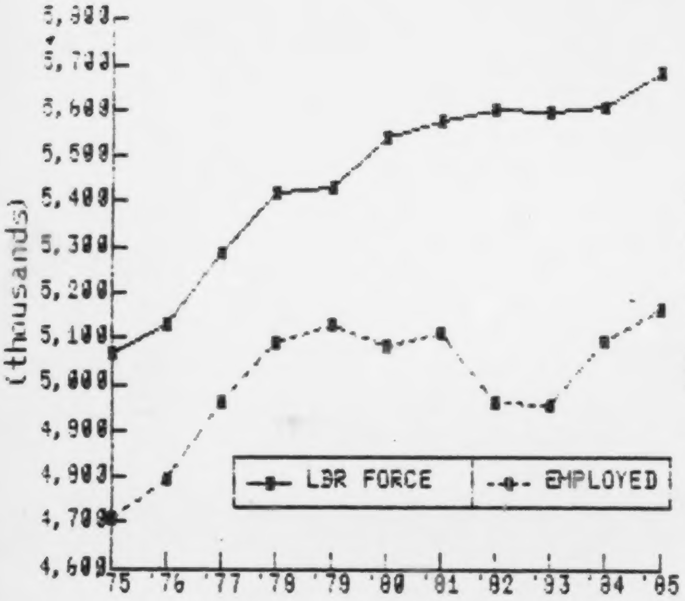
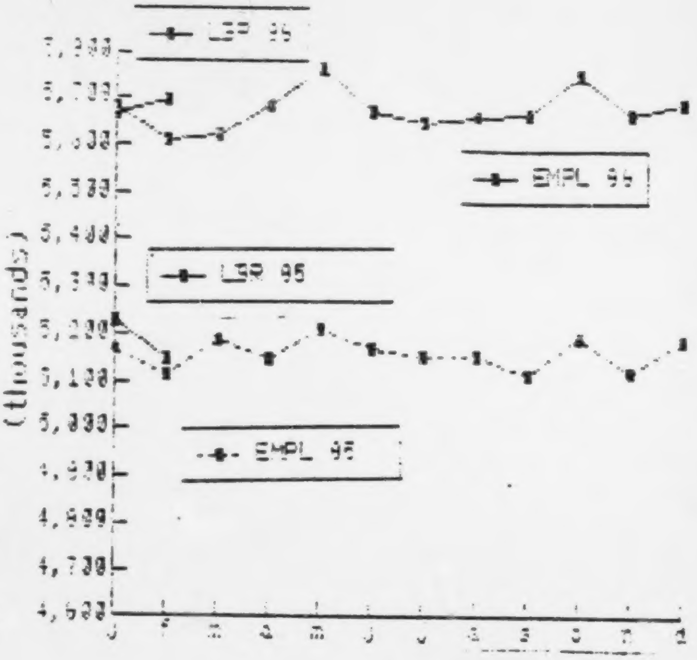
*Construction generally begins about 6 months later.

**Dodge Forecast. Figure under Illinois is actually for North Central (OCTOBER).

SOURCE: Dodge Division. McGraw-Hill Information System Co.

LABOR FORCE, EMPLOYED AND UNEMPLOYED





ANNUAL
(thousands)

	ILLINOIS			Insured Unemployed	
Year	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Numb.	Percent**
1970	4,710	4,538	171	NA	NA
1971	4,735	4,494	242	96.5	3.0
1972	4,855	4,609	246	87.3	2.8
1973	4,909	4,705	203	68.4	1.9
1974	4,989	4,777	212	90.0	2.3
1975	5,068	4,708	360	216.8	5.6
1976	5,132	4,797	336	197.9	5.3
1977	5,289	4,964	325	172.3	4.6
1978	5,420	5,092	329	149.7	3.7
1979	5,429	5,130	298	141.0	3.1
1980	5,539	5,085	458	212.7	4.6
1981	5,578	5,111	475	196.8	4.4
1982	5,597	4,963	634	252.5	5.5
1983	5,594	4,954	640	217.8	5.0
1984	5,604	5,093	511	140.1	3.2
1985	5,677	5,163	514	146.1	3.3

MONTH*
(thousands)
1986

	ILLINOIS			Insured Unemployed	
Month	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Numb.	Per*
Jan	5666	5228	438	170.9	3.8
Feb	5694	5151	543	179.3	4.0
Mar					3.9
Apr					
May					
June					
July					
Aug					
Sep					
Oct					
Nov	1985				
Dec^{r}	5685	5187	498	153.9	3.4

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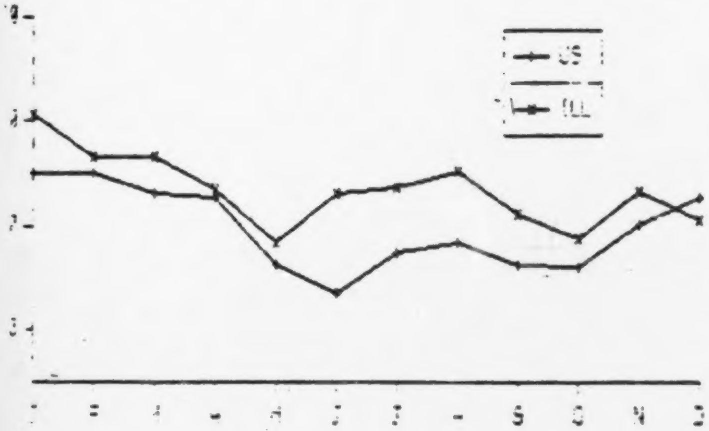
*Data are seasonally adjusted except for insured unemployed.
**Insured unemployment as percent of average covered employment.
p - preliminary
E - Estimate prepared by the Illinois Dept. of Employment Security.
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

UNEMPLOYED PERSONS BY REASON AND DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT

Job Losers as Percent of Unemployed



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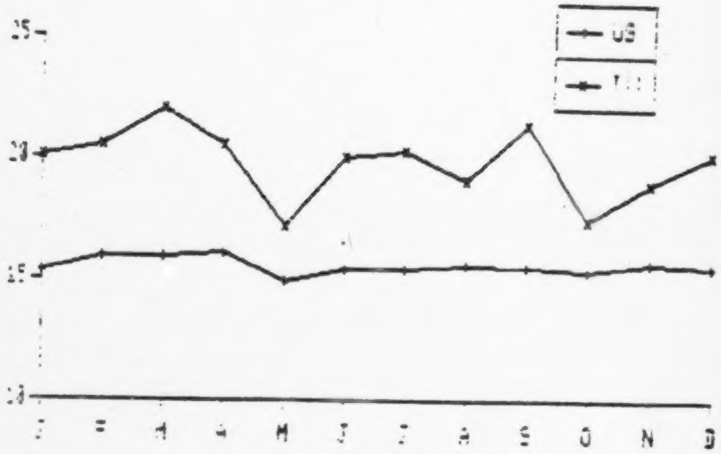


		J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
					Job Losers as Percentage of Unemployed*								
ILL	1985	60.7	56.5	56.6	53.5	48.5	53.0	58.7	55.2	51.2	48.8	53.2	50.5
U.S.		55.1	55.0	53.0	52.7	46.2	43.6	47.5	48.5	46.3	46.1	50.1	52.6
ILL	1986	59.1	54.8										
U.S.		52.5											
					Mean Duration (in weeks)*								
ILL	1985	20.1	20.5	22.0	20.5	17.2	20.0	20.2	19.1	21.3	17.4	18.9	20.1
U.S.		15.3	15.9	15.9	16.1	14.9	15.4	15.4	15.6	15.5	15.3	15.7	15.5
ILL	1986	20.5	17.5										
U.S.		14.4											

1986 ILLINOIS
Number of Unemployed*(000's)

	J	F
Job Losers	258.9	297.8
Job Leavers	40.0	49.8
Reentrants	114.5	145.3
New Entrants	72.7	77.1
TOTAL	486.1	570.0

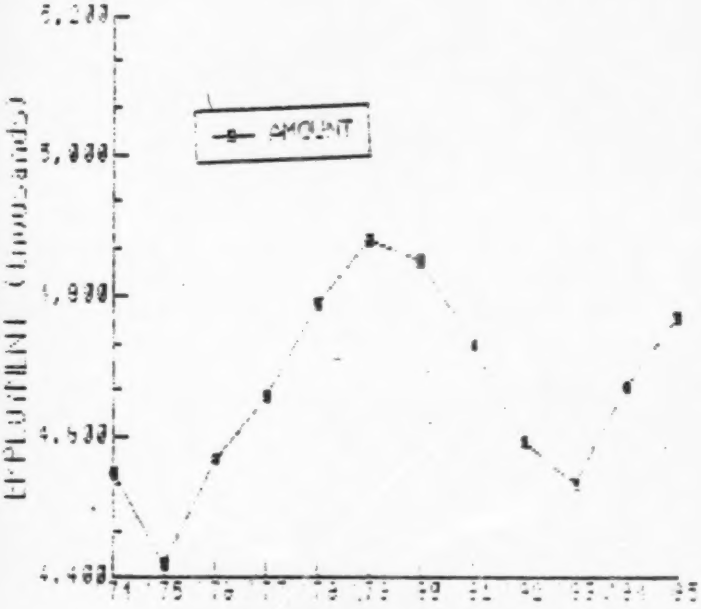
Duration*(000's)

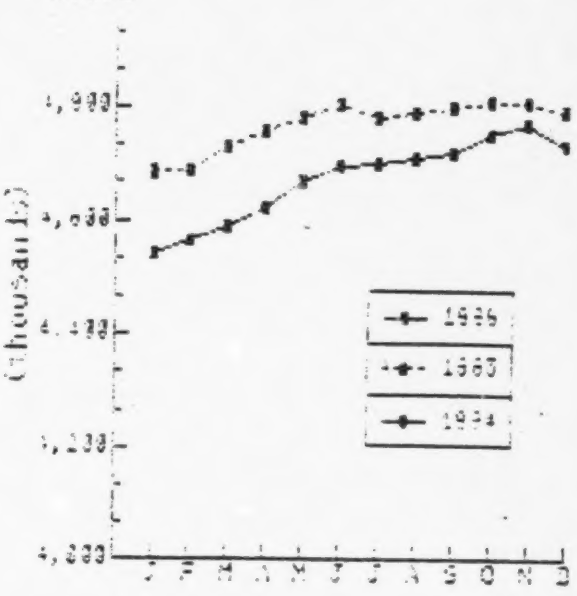
	J	F
Less than 15 Weeks	320.6	398.5
15 Weeks and Over	165.4	171.5

*Not seasonally adjusted. For definitions of terms, see ADDENDUM (enclosed).

SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

ILLINOIS TOTAL NON-AGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT





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(thousands)

MONTH*
(thousands)

Year	Amount	Percent Change		Month	1984	1985	1986	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago	
		ILL.	U.S.					Ill.	U.S.
1971	4,296	-1.1	0.5	Jan	4,544	4,687	4,685	--	
1972	4,315	0.4	3.5	Feb	4,564	4,688			
1973	4,470	3.6	4.2	Mar	4,588	4,728			
1974	4,546	1.7	1.9	Apr	4,620	4,759			
1975	4,419	-2.8	-1.7	May	4,667	4,781			
1976	4,566	3.3	3.2	June	4,698	4,805			
1977	4,656	2.0	3.9	July	4,702	4,784			
1978	4,789	2.9	5.1	Aug	4,709	4,791			
1979	4,880	2.0	3.6	Sept	4,719	4,799			
1980	4,850	-0.3	0.8	Oct	4,754	4,808			
1981	4,732	-2.3	1.8	Nov	4,771	4,809			
1982	4,593	-2.9	-1.7	Dec	4,733	4,794			
1983	4,531	-1.4	0.6						
1984	4,672	3.1	4.7						
1985	4,769	2.1	3.4						

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r - New March, 1985 benchmark revisions.
NOTE: Beginning in 1974, data are based on the 1972 Standard Industrial Classification Manual.
*Data not seasonally adjusted.
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

NON-AGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY*
ILLINOIS
(thousands)

	1983	1984	1985* Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Mining	25	25	23	23	23	25	26	26	27	26	26	26	26	25
Construction	144	150	127	123	135	152	165	175	183	184	184	183	177	164
Manufacturing	956	986	966	964	960	953	954	959	952	952	950	948	945	943
Transp., & Publ Util.	264	274	271	272	274	274	275	273	277	277	279	279	278	277
Wholesale, & Ret. Trade	1098	1144	1150	1137	1143	1151	1160	1167	1164	1166	1170	1174	1186	1201
Fin., Ins., & Real Est.	320	318	318	318	319	320	322	327	329	329	326	324	324	325
Services	1022	1048	1043	1048	1056	1063	1067	1084	1096	1100	1088	1079	1077	1075
Government	702	691	696	719	724	728	719	695	689	668	686	701	702	699
TOTAL	4531	4636	4593	4604	4635	4666	4688	4707	4697	4702	4709	4715	4714	4709

CHICAGO AREA**
(thousands)

	CHICAGO SMSA (thousands) 1983	1984	1985 Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Mining	3	4	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Construction	100	101	92	89	95	103	110	115	120	120	120	119	117	108
Manufacturing	640	646	688	687	686	683	680	683	678	678	679	677	674	673
Transp., & Pub. Util.	176	180	189	189	190	190	190	187	190	190	192	194	194	194
Wholesale & Retail Trade	737	793	784	771	775	778	785	791	788	790	791	796	807	817
Fin., Ins., & Real Est.	239	240	248	247	248	250	250	254	255	255	252	252	253	255
Services	740	748	758	760	765	772	781	788	803	807	796	790	791	789
Government	382	377	399	403	406	407	405	408	399	400	402	412	413	414
TOTAL	3017	3039	3160	3148	3168	3186	3206	3229	3237	3239	3236	3243	3253	3253

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*Data not seasonally adjusted. **Effective with the Jan, 1985 report, the Chicago Area is redefined from an SMSA to the PMSA's of Chicago, Lake, Aurora and Joliet.
p - preliminary, r - revised. March, 1983 benchmark date for Chicago SMSA; March, 1984 benchmark date for other annual and monthly statistics. Totals may not add to sum of industries due to rounding.
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY IN MSA'S*
JANUARY, 1985 AND 1986

(thousands)

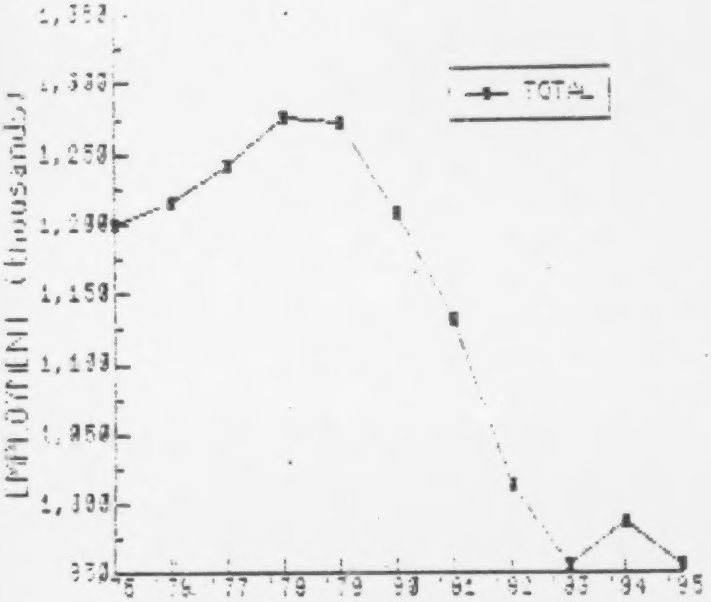
Industry	Bloomington/ Normal		Champaign/ Urbana/Rantoul		Davenport/ Rock Island/ Moline		Decatur		Kankakee		Peoria		Rockford		Springfield	
	1986	1985	1986	1985	1986	1985	1986	1985	1986	1985	1986	1985	1986	1985	1986	1985
Construction	0.8	0.8	1.8	1.7	4.3	4.1	1.6	1.6	1.0	0.9	4.9	4.8	2.9	2.8	2.1	2.1
Manufacturing	4.2	4.7	7.4	7.0	31.3	31.0	14.9	15.3	5.1	5.1	31.7	33.5	44.7	46.3	3.8	4.9
Durable goods	2.5	3.0	2.3	2.1	22.6	21.8	8.0	8.1	2.2	2.0	25.8	27.8	38.6	40.5	1.7	2.7
Nondurable goods	1.7	1.7	5.1	4.9	8.7	8.2	6.9	7.2	2.9	3.1	5.9	5.7	6.1	5.8	2.1	2.2
Trans & Public Utilities	3.2	3.3	2.3	2.4	7.8	7.7	4.4	4.2	1.4	1.3	6.5	6.6	4.4	4.7	4.7	4.2
Wholesale Trade	2.3	2.3	4.1	4.0	10.2	10.2	1.5	1.5	2.1	2.1	6.9	7.0	6.4	6.2	3.6	3.6
Retail Trade	10.6	10.5	15.1	15.0	30.7	30.3	9.2	9.3	5.9	5.8	26.3	25.5	20.8	20.6	14.9	14.8
Finance, Ins. & Real Estate	8.6	8.5	2.5	2.6	7.2	7.2	2.6	2.8	1.5	1.6	6.7	6.8	4.8	4.7	7.6	7.7
Services	10.3	10.2	12.8	12.8	28.4	27.8	9.7	9.4	7.9	7.5	30.1	29.4	22.5	21.7	22.4	20.6
Government	9.3	9.0	29.5	28.7	26.9	26.4	5.3	5.3	6.3	6.9	15.5	15.4	11.8	11.7	30.6	30.3
Total Non-agricultural employment	49.3	49.3	75.5	74.2	146.8	143.7	49.4	49.5	31.2	31.2	128.6	129.0	118.3	118.7	89.8	88.3

Data are not seasonally adjusted.

*Excludes Chicago, St. Louis, Aurora-Elgin, Joliet and Lake County. March, 1985 benchmark date.

SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

ILLINOIS MANUFACTURING EMPLOYMENT



ANNUAL
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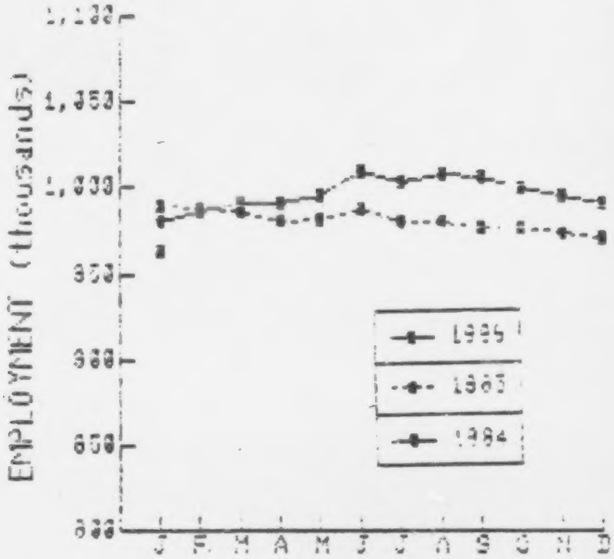

MONTH*
(thousands)

Manufacturing Employment

Year	Durable	Non-Durable	Total	Total Percent Change Ill.	Total Percent Change U.S.
1975	789	411	1,200	-10.8	-8.8
1976	796	419	1,215	1.3	3.7
1977	822	419	1,241	2.1	3.6
1978	847	429	1,276	2.8	4.2
1979	846	425	1,272	-0.3	2.6
1980	804	404	1,208	-5.0	-3.5
1981	751	381	1,131	-6.1	-0.6
1982	643	370	1,013	-10.4	-6.6
1983	584	372	956	-6.1	-0.9
1984	623	374	997	4.3	5.3
1985	605	377	982	-1.5	

Month	1984^r	1985^r	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago Ill.	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago U.S.
Jan	980	989	0.9	2.8
Feb	986	988	0.2	1.8
Mar	992	987	-0.5	1.3
Apr	991	981	-1.0	0.6
May	996	982	-1.4	0.2
June	1010	988	-2.2	0.2
July	1003	980	-2.3	-0.6
Aug	1009	980	-2.9	-0.9
Sept	1007	977	-3.0	-1.0
Oct	1001	977	-2.4	-1.5
Nov	996	974	-2.2	-0.9
Dec	992	971	-2.1	-1.2
		1986		
Jan		963	-2.6	

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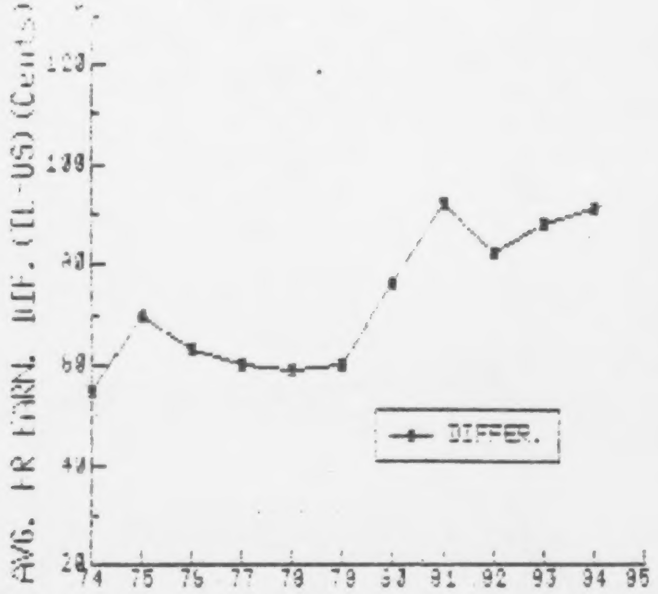
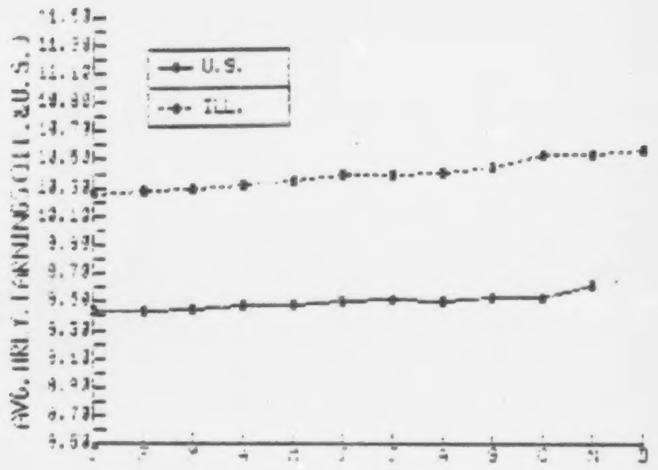
p - preliminary r - New March 1985 Benchmark revisions.
NOTE: Beginning in 1974, data are based on 1972 Standard Industrial Classification Manual.
*Data not seasonally adjusted.
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

ILLINOIS
HOURS AND EARNINGS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS IN MANUFACTURING





Year	Average Weekly Hours	ANNUAL Average Weekly Wage	Average Hourly Earnings Ill.	U.S.
1970	40.3	147.03	3.65	3.36
1971	40.1	157.57	3.93	3.56
1972	41.0	175.55	4.28	3.82
1973	41.2	187.85	4.57	4.09
1974	40.4	200.69	4.97	4.42
1975	39.7	219.13	5.53	4.83
1976	40.4	236.11	5.85	5.22
1977	40.6	254.91	6.28	5.68
1978	40.1	271.42	6.76	6.17
1979	40.7	296.66	7.30	6.70
1980	39.8	320.15	8.04	7.28
1981	40.0	356.33	8.91	7.99
1982	39.2	364.86	9.32	8.50
1983	40.6	393.59	9.70	8.82
1984	41.0	412.98	10.08	9.17
1985				9.52
1986				9.90**
1987				10.51**

1985 Month	Average Weekly Hours	MONTH* Average^{r} Weekly Wage	Average Hourly Earnings Ill.	U.S.
Jan	40.4	$414.10	$10.25	$9.43
Feb	39.6	407.09	10.28	9.43
Mar	40.5	417.15	10.30	9.45
Apr	40.3	416.30	10.33	9.48
May	40.2	416.07	10.35	9.48
June	40.7	423.28	10.40	9.50
July	40.2	417.68	10.39	9.52
Aug	40.4	420.56	10.41	9.50
Sept	40.8	426.36	10.45	9.54
Oct	40.8	429.62	10.53	9.54
Nov	41.3	435.30	10.54	9.62
Dec	41.9	442.88	10.57	9.72
1986				
Jan	40.7	428.57	10.53	9.68
Feb				9.68

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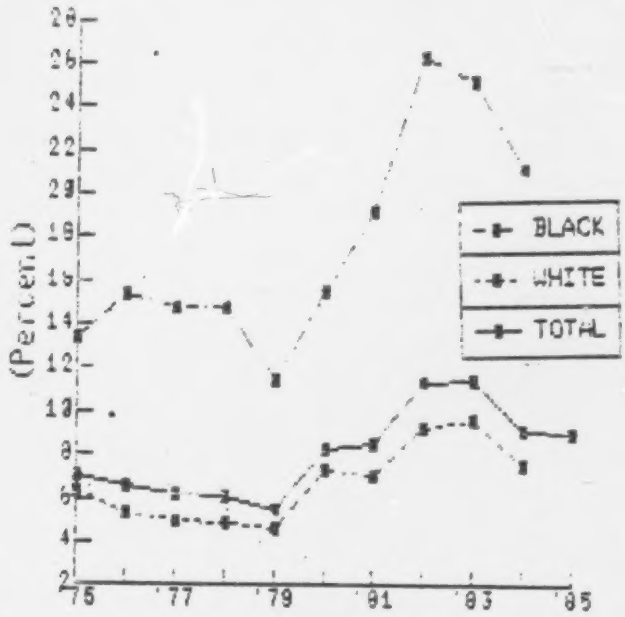
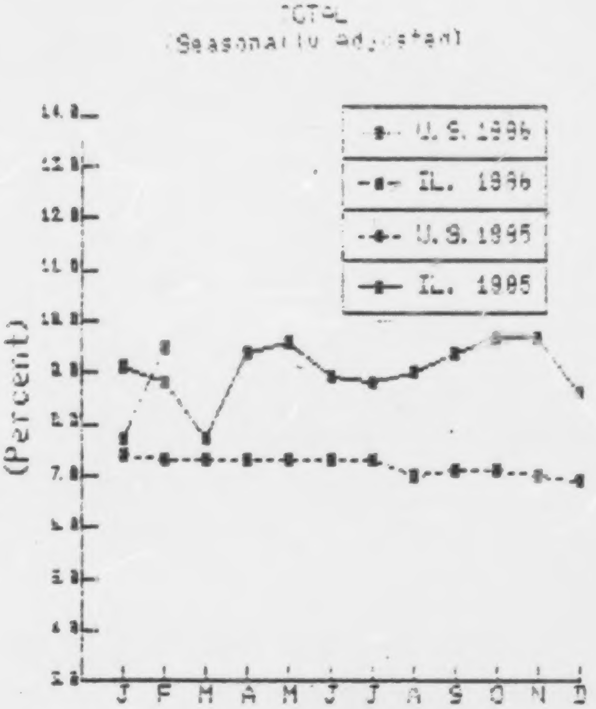
*Data not seasonally adjusted.

**Chase Econometrics Forecast.

SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security. March, 1984 Benchmark for 1985 data; March, 1985 Benchmark for 1986 data.

ILLINOIS UNEMPLOYMENT RATE





YEAR
PERCENT

Annual	ILLINOIS Total	ILLINOIS White	ILLINOIS Black	U.S. Total	U.S. White	U.S. Black
1970	3.6	3.4	5.9	5.0	4.5	8.2
1971	5.1	4.5	10.2	5.9	5.4	9.9
1972	5.1	4.4	11.0	5.6	5.0	10.0
1973	4.1	3.4	9.6	4.8	4.3	8.9
1974	4.2	NA	NA	5.6	5.0	9.9
1975	7.1	6.3	13.4	8.5	7.8	13.9
1976	6.5	5.3	15.4	7.7	7.0	13.1
1977	6.2	5.0	14.8	7.1	6.2	13.1
1978	6.1	4.8	14.8	6.1	5.2	11.9
1979	5.5	4.6	11.4	5.8	5.1	11.3
1980	8.3	7.3	15.5	7.1	6.3	13.1
1981	8.5	7.1	19.1	7.6	6.7	15.6
1982	11.3	9.2	26.2	9.7	8.6	18.9
1983	11.4	9.6	25.1	9.6	8.4	19.5
1984	9.1	7.5	21.1	7.5	6.5	15.9
1985	9.0			7.2		
1986				6.9, 7.3**		
1987				6.6, 7.3**		

MONTH
TOTAL

Month	ILLINOIS 1985*	ILLINOIS Seasonally Adjusted 1985	U.S. 1985*	U.S. Seasonally Adjusted 1985
Jan	9.8	9.1	8.0	7.4
Feb	9.4	8.8	7.8	7.3
Mar	8.1	7.7	7.5	7.3
Apr	9.3	9.4	7.1	7.3
May	9.4	9.6	7.0	7.3
June	9.4	8.9	7.5	7.3
July	8.9	8.8	7.4	7.3
Aug	8.8	9.0	6.9	7.0
Sept	8.9	9.4	6.9	7.1
Oct	9.2	9.7	6.8	7.1
Nov	9.0	9.7	6.7	7.0
Dec	8.3	8.6	6.7	6.9
	1986	1986		
Jan		7.7		
Feb		9.5		

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*Data not seasonally adjusted.

**Chase Econometrics Forecast (JANUARY), Data Resources Forecast (FEBRUARY).

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Labor.

ILLINOIS UNEMPLOYMENT RATE* IN MSA's**

	Average Annual	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov^r	Dec^r
BLOOMINGTON-NORMAL: MSA													
1982	7.9	6.8	7.3	8.2	8.0	7.0	8.3	7.6	8.4	8.2	8.1	8.4	9.7
1983	7.8	9.4	9.7	8.6	8.1	8.1	8.5	8.1	7.8	6.2	6.2	6.1	7.3
1984	6.7	7.9	7.3	8.1	6.9	6.4	6.5	6.3	6.4	5.7	6.1	6.2	6.4
1985		7.4	7.1	5.9	6.8	6.5	6.3	5.8	5.7	5.3	5.6	6.6	6.1
1986		6.4	7.6										
CHAMPAIGN-URBANA-RANTOUL: MSA													
1982	5.7	5.2	5.0	5.1	4.9	5.3	5.8	6.3	6.2	5.8	5.7	6.2	6.4
1983	6.5	7.4	7.3	6.7	6.7	6.8	7.5	6.9	7.1	5.3	5.3	5.6	6.0
1984	6.0	7.3	6.7	7.1	6.2	6.0	5.9	5.6	5.7	5.3	5.2	5.5	5.4
1985		6.4	6.0	4.9	5.5	6.1	5.8	5.8	5.3	4.9	5.0	5.7	5.2
1986		5.4	5.9										
CHICAGO AREA:													
1982	10.6	9.4	9.4	9.6	9.6	10.1	11.1	11.5	10.8	11.4	11.1	11.5	11.2
1983	10.5	12.1	12.5	11.4	10.9	10.9	11.8	10.8	10.5	9.2	8.7	8.5	8.5
1984	8.3	9.4	8.8	9.4	8.6	8.1	8.3	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.3	7.4	7.6
1985	7.7	8.2	8.0	7.0	8.1	8.1	8.0	7.6	7.3	7.4	7.6	7.5	7.0
1986		7.6	8.8										
DAVENPORT-ROCK ISLAND-MOLINE: MSA (Illinois portion)													
1982	15.8	16.4	11.5	12.2	13.7	12.4	15.2	16.8	15.9	19.8	19.6	20.7	20.7
1983	16.9	21.8	19.9	17.6	17.2	17.1	18.5	16.9	16.0	14.5	14.2	14.5	14.0
1984	14.0	16.6	15.3	12.8	13.6	12.3	12.0	12.0	11.4	13.0	13.6	15.7	17.4
1985		18.8	14.8	11.5	12.4	12.0	11.8	11.2	13.3	12.0	12.4	12.3	11.4
1986		13.5	15.2										
DECATUR: MSA													
1982	15.6	12.3	12.3	12.9	11.8	17.7	15.4	16.1	19.2	16.2	16.5	18.3	17.7
1983	14.9	18.7	19.0	16.5	16.3	16.6	16.5	15.2	13.8	12.1	11.3	11.4	11.3
1984	10.3	12.9	12.0	12.6	10.4	9.6	9.4	10.2	9.3	9.6	9.4	9.2	9.1
1985		10.9	10.8	9.7	11.1	11.2	10.9	10.6	10.9	10.9	11.1	11.3	10.5
1986		10.8	12.9										
PEORIA: MSA													
1982	13.9	9.8	10.7	10.7	11.4	11.9	16.1	16.2	14.9	16.1	16.8	18.3	17.5
1983	16.0	18.4	19.3	17.5	16.4	16.1	18.4	16.6	15.9	14.2	13.3	12.9	12.7
1984	11.3	14.5	13.4	13.7	12.4	11.2	11.0	10.6	10.1	9.7	10.1	9.3	9.7
1985		12.1	11.5	10.3	11.8	11.6	11.4	11.2	10.7	10.5	11.0	10.8	9.8
1986		10.1	11.7										
ROCKFORD: MSA													
1982	16.5	11.9	15.3	12.3	15.1	18.8	19.3	19.3	18.5	16.0	20.6	21.3	17.5
1983	14.2	20.0	17.1	16.2	15.2	14.3	15.2	13.7	12.8	11.1	10.8	13.6	10.3
1984	9.4	11.4	10.8	11.1	10.0	9.0	8.9	8.6	8.5	8.9	9.0	8.3	8.7
1985		10.0	9.9	8.7	10.2	10.0	10.0	9.7	9.1	9.8	10.6	10.1	9.0
1986		9.5	10.8										
SPRINGFIELD: MSA													
1982	7.7	8.3	7.7	7.1	6.5	6.7	7.4	7.4	6.7	7.8	7.9	9.4	9.8
1983	8.3	9.7	10.3	9.8	9.0	8.8	9.2	8.1	7.9	6.7	6.6	6.6	7.4
1984	7.0	8.3	7.7	8.3	7.5	6.7	6.8	6.6	6.2	6.3	6.8	6.0	6.6
1985		7.8	7.3	6.0	6.5	6.5	6.6	6.6	6.1	6.4	6.7	7.4	6.8
1986		6.8	8.1										
ST. LOUIS: MSA (Illinois portion)													
1982	12.2	11.1	11.7	11.3	10.8	10.9	12.2	12.8	11.7	12.9	12.4	13.2	13.5
1983	12.4	14.7	14.8	13.0	12.2	12.4	14.0	13.0	12.6	11.2	10.4	10.4	10.5
1984	10.6	12.8	12.1	12.6	11.2	10.3	10.1	10.0	10.2	9.8	10.2	8.8	9.5
1985		11.6	11.3	9.2	10.4	10.6	11.2	10.0	9.6	9.4	9.8	10.4	9.3
1986		9.8	11.8										

NOTE: For Kankakee and Lake County PMSA data see county. *Data not seasonally adjusted.
SOURCE: Illinois Dept. of Employment Security. p - preliminary / r - revised
**Data for years prior to 1985 are for standard metropolitan statistical areas. Chicago Area from 1985 is defined as an average of rates for the PMSA's of Chicago, Lake, Aurora and Joliet.

ILLINOIS
AVERAGE UNEMPLOYMENT RATE

				1985[r]											
COUNTY	1983	1984	1985	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Adams	14.6	11.0	11.4	10.8	11.2	9.6	10.6	11.9	12.1	12.9	11.2	12.4	12.0	11.4	10.3
Alexander	21.6	25.7	24.7	26.7	26.5	23.5	23.3	24.3	26.3	25.5	24.5	24.0	23.6	24.9	23.1
Bond	13.3	11.9	12.1	14.6	13.7	11.7	12.1	11.5	12.0	11.7	10.7	9.9	11.0	13.8	11.9
Boone	13.5	7.9	9.9	9.5	9.7	9.1	10.4	11.1	9.8	9.5	9.1	10.1	10.6	10.6	8.9
Brown	8.2	9.6	9.6	12.7	13.6	11.1	11.2	9.4	10.0	7.2	8.2	7.0	7.1	8.9	8.6
Bureau	12.4	9.8	10.0	12.6	11.8	10.2	11.3	10.6	9.9	9.6	9.1	8.2	8.2	9.6	9.3
Calhoun	24.1	21.5	21.1	24.9	27.5	24.6	23.4	17.0	18.7	17.0	17.5	15.6	17.2	23.4	24.8
Carroll	10.2	8.1	12.8	15.5	15.6	13.6	14.5	13.0	11.5	9.8	9.5	11.0	13.2	13.9	12.2
Cass	11.5	9.8	7.6	8.8	8.6	7.3	7.0	6.1	6.0	6.4	7.2	7.3	8.1	9.3	8.8
Champaign	7.0	6.0	5.5	6.4	6.0	4.9	5.5	6.1	5.8	5.8	5.3	4.9	5.0	5.7	5.2
Christian	13.2	10.9	9.7	11.2	10.1	8.9	9.7	9.9	9.7	9.6	9.1	9.6	8.9	9.8	9.4
Clark	16.0	15.9	14.9	19.0	21.1	17.7	17.7	14.0	13.6	12.4	12.2	11.3	11.7	14.0	13.7
Clay	17.3	15.2	14.9	16.1	16.1	16.0	16.9	14.3	14.5	14.1	14.0	14.5	14.1	14.3	13.6
Clinton	12.0	10.9	10.9	12.8	13.3	10.5	10.5	10.4	11.8	9.0	10.1	9.1	10.0	12.0	11.0
Coles	10.6	8.2	9.2	9.0	9.3	9.3	10.0	9.3	9.8	10.9	9.5	7.9	8.3	9.0	8.3
Cook	10.5	8.6	8.6	8.8	8.4	7.3	8.6	9.2	9.1	8.8	8.6	8.9	9.2	8.6	7.8
Crawford	14.8	13.5	16.3	19.0	19.3	16.4	18.1	17.0	16.2	14.0	14.1	15.5	15.3	14.6	16.5
Cumberland	15.4	13.3	12.0	15.0	15.5	13.2	13.6	10.3	10.5	11.7	11.0	9.8	9.5	11.8	11.4
DeKalb	9.4	6.7	7.2	8.0	7.8	6.4	7.1	7.6	6.6	7.2	6.6	7.0	7.6	7.5	7.0
DeWitt	12.4	10.0	11.2	12.2	12.5	11.4	12.4	12.3	12.2	11.0	9.0	9.5	9.4	11.1	11.2
Douglas	10.8	7.8	8.9	9.6	9.7	7.8	9.0	9.4	8.7	9.3	10.0	9.1	8.0	8.5	8.5
DuPage	8.2	6.2	5.8	6.1	6.2	5.2	5.9	5.9	6.1	5.8	5.7	5.8	6.0	5.5	5.2
Edgar	15.0	15.7	15.7	15.1	17.6	18.1	17.0	15.0	17.5	16.1	15.1	15.0	14.3	14.0	13.2
Edwards	11.0	11.1	11.8	11.2	13.2	12.9	14.1	13.2	11.7	10.8	10.1	10.5	11.8	11.6	10.5
Effingham	11.6	10.7	10.9	11.3	12.0	10.6	10.7	9.5	9.8	9.6	10.4	12.9	10.3	12.4	11.1
Fayette	14.6	16.4	14.5	17.5	17.3	15.4	16.0	14.3	13.6	12.9	12.3	12.5	12.7	14.8	14.7
Ford	12.1	9.8	7.8	9.6	9.4	7.9	9.0	8.4	7.2	7.2	6.2	6.2	6.1	7.8	8.9
Franklin	19.6	16.6	15.7	16.2	14.6	12.6	15.9	15.4	15.9	15.8	16.8	17.2	17.2	16.4	14.0
Fulton	17.3	14.9	13.0	16.9	15.7	13.6	13.6	12.4	11.5	11.2	11.0	10.9	12.5	14.0	12.8
Gallatin	20.3	19.4	16.7	19.9	19.6	17.5	17.8	16.4	15.8	14.5	14.8	15.8	16.1	16.3	16.2
Greene	13.3	10.8	10.0	11.7	12.0	9.9	10.8	10.3	9.7	8.9	8.8	9.6	8.7	9.9	9.7
Grundy	14.1	9.8	10.2	10.7	10.9	10.0	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.4	9.8	9.1	9.7	9.8	9.7
Hamilton	20.2	18.9	19.5	23.2	23.5	22.3	23.5	18.8	19.9	16.7	17.8	16.7	15.7	17.5	17.3
Hancock	11.6	10.2	10.0	12.9	12.6	9.7	10.1	9.3	9.2	8.7	8.1	7.9	10.3	10.8	10.3
Hardin	21.6	18.0	16.6	18.6	17.8	13.2	16.0	15.4	16.8	15.9	16.1	17.7	19.4	15.7	16.2
Henderson	14.9	12.2	12.3	22.6	19.0	12.1	12.7	11.6	10.1	9.2	9.2	8.5	10.2	10.7	11.3
Henry	16.3	12.9	12.5	17.9	14.1	11.0	12.1	11.3	11.3	10.7	13.0	11.6	12.3	12.7	12.3
Iroquois	11.0	8.9	8.8	9.8	9.9	8.9	8.8	8.3	8.9	8.2	8.4	7.5	7.9	9.1	9.9
Jackson	9.6	8.7	8.8	10.5	9.2	8.4	8.8	8.8	9.0	8.4	8.6	7.7	8.6	9.0	8.5
Jasper	12.9	12.5	12.8	12.7	13.2	11.2	13.5	12.7	16.5	11.5	16.9	11.8	10.3	12.5	9.8
Jefferson	16.2	13.6	14.2	15.4	15.3	12.8	14.5	14.8	15.2	13.8	13.3	13.1	14.0	14.7	13.7
Jersey	14.3	12.8	12.5	13.8	14.3	12.2	13.5	12.5	13.3	11.6	11.1	11.1	12.0	12.8	11.7
Jo Daviess	11.5	8.8	9.7	11.1	11.0	10.5	11.8	8.3	7.5	7.3	8.0	8.9	9.5	12.2	10.9
Johnson	15.8	17.7	14.4	18.2	19.5	15.3	15.7	14.9	14.7	12.8	12.2	11.4	12.0	13.5	12.0
Kane	10.7	7.9	8.0	8.3	8.7	7.4	9.2	8.5	8.3	7.7	7.3	7.5	7.7	7.9	7.4
Kankakee	15.4	12.2	11.6	13.3	12.5	10.6	11.6	12.0	12.3	11.6	10.8	10.7	11.2	11.6	10.7
Kendall	9.9	6.6	7.4	7.7	8.2	7.2	10.3	7.7	7.5	7.5	6.6	6.4	6.5	6.9	6.2
Knox	14.8	13.1	15.8	25.1	17.2	14.6	15.0	13.2	12.5	12.5	14.5	15.0	16.5	16.7	15.7
Lake	7.7	6.1	6.0	6.4	6.2	5.3	6.0	6.2	6.3	5.8	5.7	5.8	6.0	6.1	5.6
LaSalle	15.1	12.7	13.4	15.1	14.8	13.5	16.6	14.1	13.0	11.9	12.1	11.8	12.5	13.0	12.1
Lawrence	13.5	12.6	17.3	15.5	17.2	15.5	18.3	15.3	16.6	15.6	17.6	19.0	18.8	19.2	19.2
Lee	15.5	11.3	10.1	11.3	10.9	9.9	11.5	10.4	10.2	10.1	8.8	8.7	9.6	9.8	9.7

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SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security

ILLINOIS
AVERAGE UNEMPLOYMENT RATE

				1985^r											
COUNTY	1983	1984	1985	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Livingston	10.8	8.8	11.5	12.9	13.1	13.0	13.9	12.1	11.1	10.1	9.5	10.1	9.8	11.1	11.1
Logan	13.3	9.6	7.4	10.9	8.1	6.8	8.0	7.9	7.5	7.3	5.9	5.9	6.6	7.2	7.1
Macon	14.7	10.3	10.8	10.9	10.8	9.7	11.1	11.2	10.9	10.6	10.9	10.9	11.1	11.3	10.5
Macoupin	14.1	10.8	11.0	12.1	12.3	10.6	11.4	10.9	11.0	10.2	10.2	10.3	10.8	11.6	10.9
Madison	13.8	10.9	10.5	12.0	11.5	9.3	10.5	11.0	11.3	10.3	10.0	9.9	10.3	10.7	9.6
Marion	15.7	13.2	13.7	14.5	14.5	13.1	13.7	13.5	13.3	12.9	12.7	13.4	13.8	15.1	13.9
Marshall	13.8	9.8	10.0	10.6	11.3	9.8	11.8	10.4	10.1	11.5	9.9	9.6	8.6	7.7	8.2
Mason	15.3	10.7	11.1	12.4	12.3	10.5	11.3	10.4	11.3	10.5	11.5	10.4	10.6	11.3	10.9
Massac	17.2	15.2	14.6	16.8	16.8	13.1	15.2	15.2	15.2	14.5	14.6	13.2	14.8	13.1	12.5
McDonough	12.3	11.1	10.2	12.7	9.9	8.3	9.2	9.3	11.0	10.8	11.6	9.9	10.1	10.5	8.7
McHenry	9.6	7.3	8.0	9.3	9.4	8.1	8.6	8.2	8.2	7.7	7.2	7.6	7.3	7.2	7.7
McLean	8.1	6.7	6.3	7.4	7.1	5.9	6.8	6.5	6.3	5.8	5.7	5.3	5.6	6.6	6.1
Menard	7.8	6.0	6.9	8.1	7.4	6.2	6.1	5.4	5.6	5.4	6.0	7.2	7.9	8.8	9.1
Mercer	14.9	14.1	12.4	20.3	16.8	12.7	12.7	10.9	10.2	9.5	10.9	8.7	10.8	12.7	12.7
Monroe	10.0	9.4	8.7	11.6	11.5	9.0	8.1	8.2	9.1	7.9	7.2	7.3	7.6	9.5	7.9
Montgomery	16.5	14.7	14.2	15.9	15.2	12.9	15.5	14.3	13.4	15.1	13.0	13.3	13.7	14.0	13.5
Morgan	9.7	8.5	8.3	10.3	9.8	8.2	9.4	8.0	7.9	7.3	6.8	7.3	7.1	8.8	8.4
Moultrie	13.5	8.6	7.8	10.6	10.6	9.0	9.0	8.1	7.7	7.7	6.8	5.7	5.8	6.2	7.1
Ogle	12.6	9.4	9.9	10.6	11.0	9.5	10.7	9.6	9.4	10.1	8.2	7.9	10.2	11.1	10.9
Peoria	16.4	11.3	11.1	12.0	11.3	10.2	11.6	11.6	11.5	11.4	11.0	11.0	11.3	10.8	9.7
Perry	17.0	14.9	14.4	16.1	14.2	13.0	17.2	13.0	13.5	13.1	13.8	13.3	13.7	15.4	16.9
Piatt	12.1	8.9	8.1	9.3	9.4	7.9	7.8	7.3	6.8	6.9	6.9	7.1	7.9	9.4	10.1
Pike	14.2	13.9	12.7	15.6	16.1	13.5	15.7	13.7	12.7	11.2	10.7	9.4	10.5	11.0	11.4
Pope	18.5	17.2	16.4	18.6	17.9	16.0	16.9	16.0	17.4	16.2	14.7	14.3	16.2	16.3	16.6
Pulaski	18.6	22.0	22.9	22.7	22.1	19.2	21.1	24.0	24.9	25.0	25.3	21.1	21.8	24.0	22.5
Putnam-	15.3	11.0	11.9	15.9	14.4	13.3	14.2	11.5	10.6	9.8	8.7	9.2	10.5	11.9	12.2
Randolph	12.6	10.5	9.3	10.3	10.5	9.2	9.5	9.5	9.8	8.7	7.7	8.1	8.7	10.1	9.5
Richland	15.2	15.1	17.8	18.0	20.5	21.0	20.7	16.7	17.9	14.9	19.0	18.8	16.0	14.7	15.0
Rock Isld	17.8	14.4	13.0	19.1	15.0	11.7	12.5	12.3	11.9	11.4	13.4	12.1	12.5	12.1	11.1
St. Clair	12.3	10.2	9.8	11.0	10.5	8.8	10.2	10.2	11.0	9.9	9.3	9.1	9.4	9.7	8.6
Saline	18.7	15.9	15.0	15.7	15.6	13.1	15.7	15.7	16.8	15.4	13.3	13.6	14.8	14.9	15.2
Sangamon	8.4	7.1	6.7	7.8	7.3	6.0	6.5	6.5	6.6	6.7	6.1	6.4	6.6	7.3	6.7
Schuyler	11.4	12.3	10.1	12.5	12.2	11.1	10.9	9.6	10.4	9.6	8.7	8.2	8.9	9.5	9.4
Scott	10.8	9.5	10.1	14.2	14.2	12.1	9.6	8.5	8.1	7.7	7.2	7.2	6.7	12.8	13.2
Shelby	18.1	12.8	11.5	14.4	14.0	11.8	12.4	10.8	10.6	10.3	10.0	10.1	10.2	11.5	11.4
Stark	13.5	9.5	9.5	10.3	11.1	9.8	9.9	8.0	8.2	9.6	10.3	11.0	10.4	7.1	7.6
Stephenson	9.8	7.6	9.8	9.2	9.6	8.2	9.2	9.0	9.8	9.9	10.7	10.7	11.1	11.5	9.0
Tazewell	17.1	11.9	11.5	12.4	11.9	10.6	12.5	12.1	11.9	11.5	11.0	10.7	11.1	11.5	10.4
Union	20.1	16.7	14.8	17.4	18.1	15.0	15.0	14.7	14.8	14.2	13.1	12.4	12.7	15.0	14.3
Vermilion	15.2	13.0	14.0	15.5	15.0	13.2	15.4	14.8	15.5	13.7	12.4	13.9	12.5	13.1	12.9
Wabash	12.7	10.4	12.2	11.8	15.2	11.8	13.2	12.8	12.8	11.2	13.9	10.7	11.6	11.4	10.2
Warren	13.4	11.1	11.2	18.4	12.4	10.2	10.5	9.6	8.9	9.6	10.9	9.9	11.1	11.5	11.6
Washington	13.3	12.1	10.1	12.8	12.9	10.3	10.6	8.8	9.9	8.3	8.9	8.8	8.3	10.6	11.8
Wayne	14.4	16.4	16.9	19.7	20.2	18.9	19.3	16.8	16.5	15.0	15.7	14.6	15.4	16.1	14.8
White	16.1	17.2	16.7	17.0	18.9	17.3	17.9	15.0	15.6	14.1	17.3	18.2	17.2	15.9	15.7
Whiteside	19.2	12.2	12.7	14.6	12.9	11.0	13.8	14.3	12.2	12.6	11.3	12.2	12.6	12.9	11.8
Will	12.9	8.6	8.3	9.2	9.1	7.5	8.6	8.7	8.7	8.5	8.0	7.9	8.1	7.9	7.6
Williamson	18.4	17.4	17.7	21.9	17.8	16.9	20.2	19.6	18.6	16.8	16.0	15.3	15.9	16.5	15.7
Winnebago	14.0	9.6	9.8	10.1	10.0	8.7	10.2	9.9	10.0	9.7	9.2	9.8	10.6	10.1	9.1
Woodford	12.4	8.9	9.1	11.0	11.0	9.7	10.1	9.5	9.1	8.7	7.8	7.3	8.3	8.2	8.1

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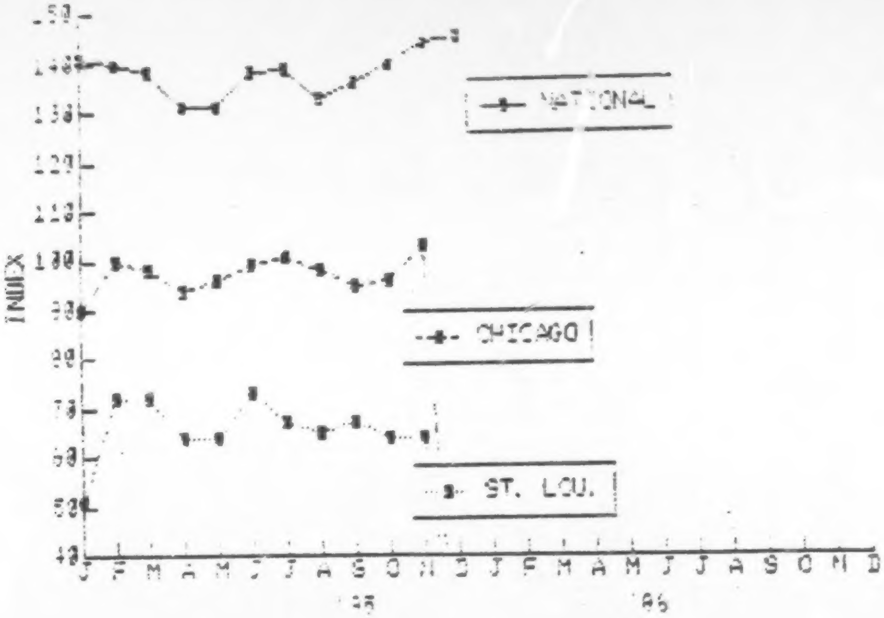
HELP-WANTED ADVERTISING INDEXES



HELP-WANTED ADVERTISING INDEXES* - (Seasonally Adjusted, 1967=100)

Area		J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
National Index (51 Papers)	1985	141	140	138	131	131	138	139	133	136	140	144	145
	1986	143											
East North Central (10 Papers)	1985	83	88	88	83	85	90	90[r]	86	85	86	93	
	1986												
Chicago	1985	90	100	98	94	96	99	101	98	95	96	103	
	1986												
St. Louis**	1985	51	72[r]	72[r]	64	64	73	67	65	67	64	64	
	1986												

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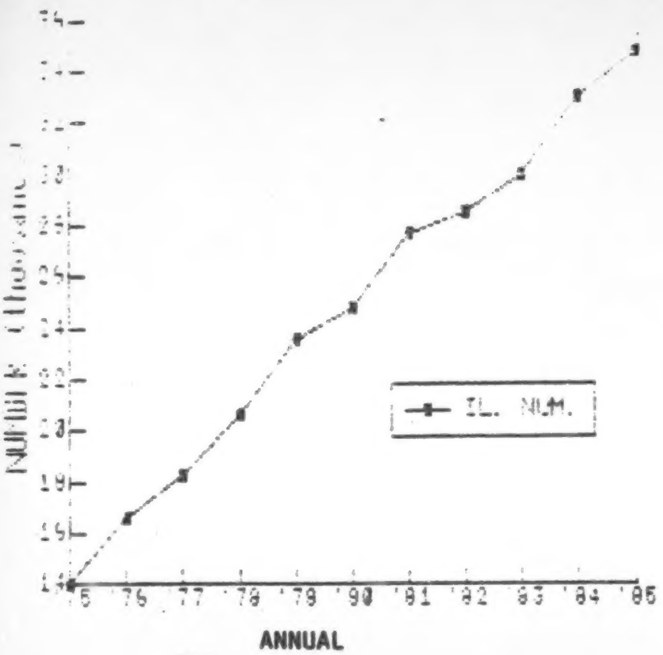
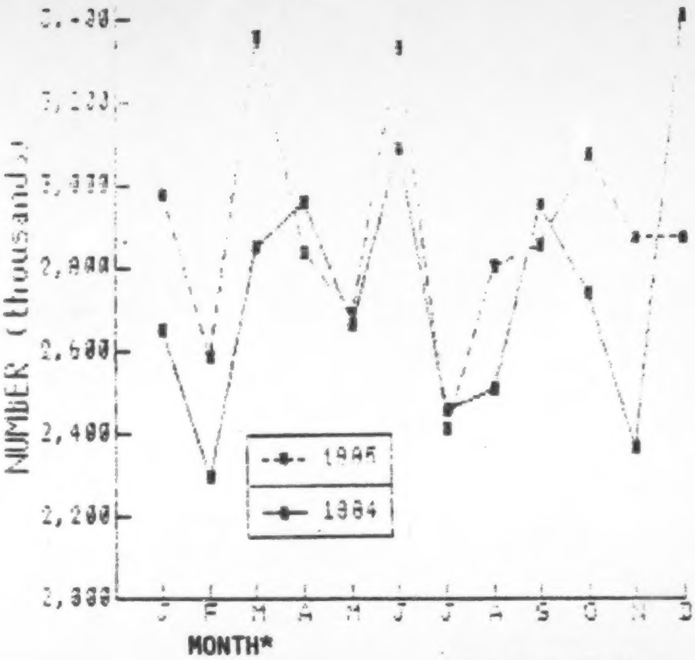
*The monthly classified help-wanted advertising total for one newspaper in each of 51 cities is used as the basis for city indexes and the national index is a composite of all 51 city indexes.

r - revised   NA - not available
**St. Louis is in the West North Central region.
SOURCE: The Conference Board.

ILLINOIS NEW BUSINESS INCORPORATIONS





Year	Ill. Number	Percent Change ILL.	Percent Change U.S.
1970	8,585	1.5	-3.6
1971	10,116	17.8	9.1
1972	12,106	19.7	10.1
1973	12,376	2.2	3.8
1974	11,720	-5.3	-3.0
1975	14,022	19.6	2.2
1976	16,573	18.2	15.3
1977	18,291	10.4	16.1
1978	20,638	12.8	9.6
1979	23,559	14.2	9.7
1980	24,804	5.3	1.7
1981	27,632	11.4	9.0
1982	28,469	3.0	-2.5
1983	29,952	5.2	5.9
1984	32,948	10.0	5.8
1985	34,691	5.3	5.3

Month	1983	1984	1985	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago ILL.	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago U.S.
Jan	2,570	2,649	2,977	12.4	5.4
Feb	2,362	2,295	2,584	12.6	-3.3
Mar	2,801	2,251	3,358	17.8	0.9
Apr	2,392	2,961	2,837	-4.2	8.4
May	2,686	2,667	2,688	0.8	9.8
June	2,460	3,087	3,336	8.1	-1.9
July	2,366	2,459	2,415	-1.8	7.0
Aug	2,142	2,507	2,807	12.0	2.4
Sept	2,283	2,951	2,858	-3.2	11.7
Oct	2,135	2,740	3,078	12.3	10.0
Nov	2,325	2,366	2,879	21.7	2.4
Dec	3,430	3,415	2,874	-15.8	11.8
CUMULATIVE THRU LATEST MO.				5.3%	5.3%

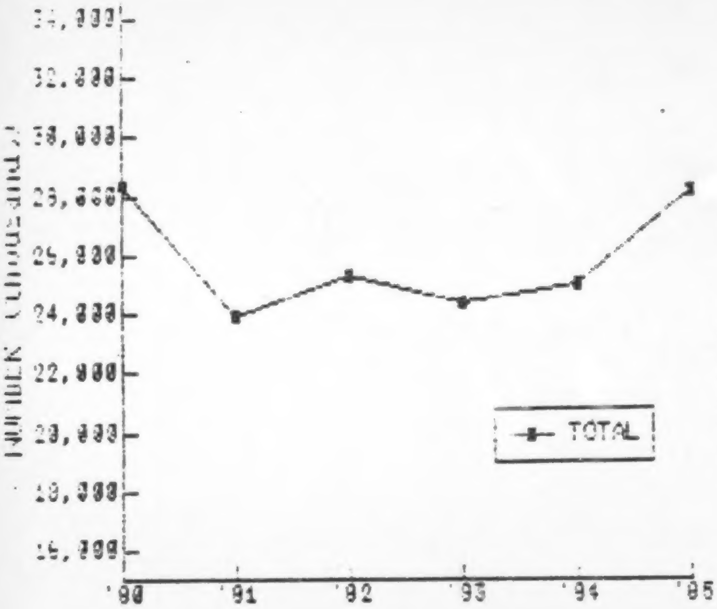
*Data not seasonally adjusted.

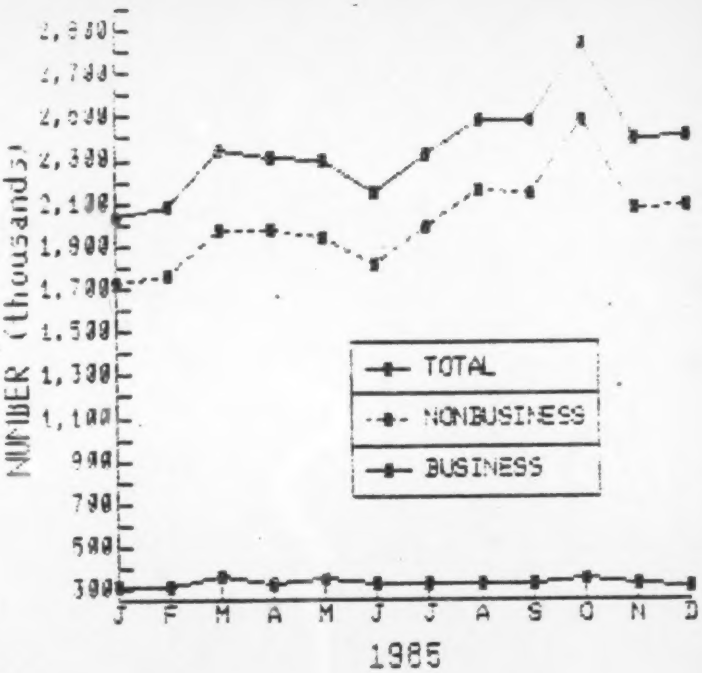
REGIONAL COMPOSITION
Percent of Total

Region	1979	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985
New England	4.5	4.8	4.7	4.8	5.0	5.7
Middle Atlantic	17.2	16.5	16.8	17.5	17.7	18.0
E. North Central	13.3	13.0	13.2	13.1	13.3	13.5
W. North Central	6.2	5.5	5.2	5.4	5.2	4.8
South Atlantic	21.9	22.8	23.2	24.1	24.8	25.2
E. South Central	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.9
W. South Central	11.6	11.9	13.1	11.5	9.9	9.6
Mountain	6.9	7.5	7.1	7.2	7.3	6.9
Pacific	14.6	14.2	13.0	12.6	13.0	12.4
U.S.	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

SOURCE: Dun & Bradstreet, Inc.

BANKRUPTCY FILINGS BY DISTRICT AND TYPE





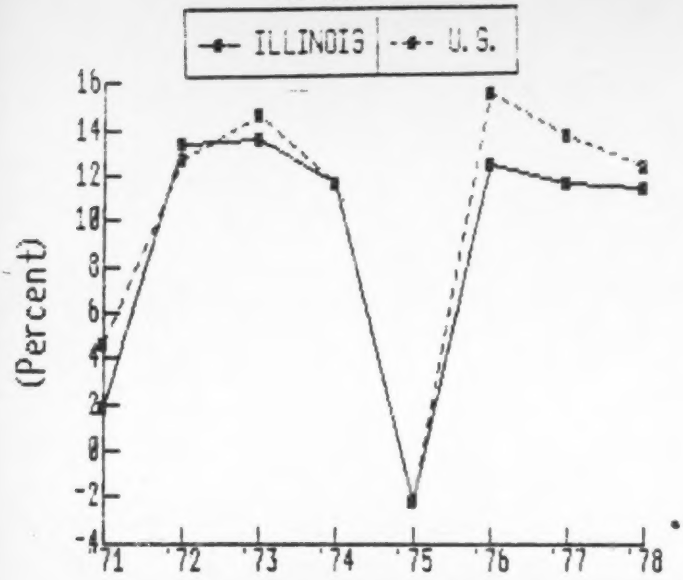
Annual	Business Filings			Nonbusiness Filings			Total Filings
	No.	Cen.	So.	No.	Cen.	So.	
1980	2377	821	343	17,513	5175	2115	28,344
1981	1698	693	263	15,567	3826	1909	23,956
1982	2232	879	389	16,435	4067	1313	25,315
1983	2199	917	438	15,623	4023	1203	24,403
1984	2012	1099	534	15,994	4154	1194	24,987
1985	2031	1422	549	17,883	4765	1465	28,115

1985 Month	Business	Nonbusiness	Total
Jan	312	1726	2038
Feb	321	1765	2086
Mar	361	1977	2338
Apr	332	1977	2309
May	359	1937	2296
Jun	328	1814	2142
Jul	333	1983	2316
Aug	326	2152	2478
Sep	327	2147	2474
Oct	356	2483	2839
Nov	326	2069	2395
Dec	321	2083	2404

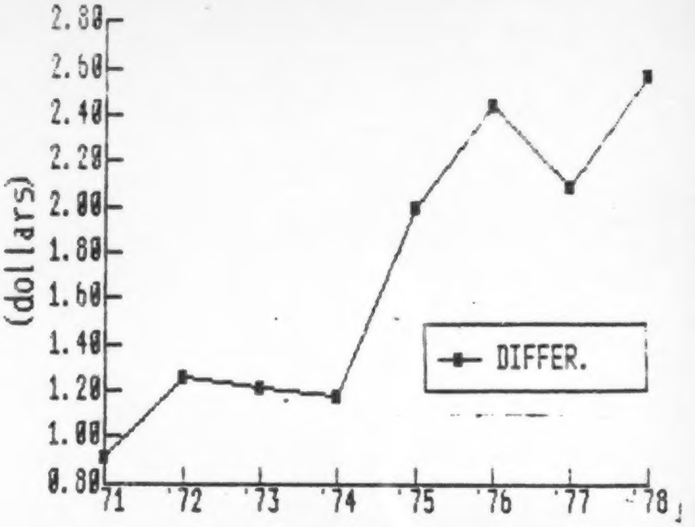
SOURCE: U.S. District Courts

ILLINOIS
MANUFACTURING PRODUCTION AND PRODUCTIVITY

PRODUCTION



PRODUCTIVITY*
(Ill. minus U.S.)



	--------PRODUCTION--------			Inventories	-PRODUCTIVITY*-		----U.S. MANUFACTURING----	
	VALUE ADDED	PERCENT CHANGE		Ill. End of Year			Industrial Production Index	Capacity Utilization Rate[r]
Year	(million)	Ill.	U.S.	(million)	Ill.	U.S.	(1977=100)	(Percent)
1970	$22,379	--	--	$7,215	$12.14	$11.26	77.0	79.2
1971	22,790	1.8	4.6	7,388	13.34	12.43	78.2	77.4
1972	25,849	13.4	12.7	7,854	14.52	13.26	86.4	82.8
1973	29,357	13.6	14.6	NA	15.65	14.44	94.0	87.0
1974	32,800	11.7	11.6	11,599	17.79	16.61	92.6	82.6
1975	32,089	-2.2	-2.2	11,198	20.38	18.38	83.4	72.3
1976	36,085	12.5	15.6	11,952	22.62	20.17	91.9	77.4
1977	40,279	11.6	13.7	13,028	24.02	21.93	100.0	81.4
1978	44,854	11.4	12.4	13,949	26.31	23.75	107.1	84.2
1979	NA	NA	13.7	NA	NA	26.39	111.5	84.6
1980	NA	NA	3.5	NA	NA	28.93	108.2	79.3
1981	NA	NA	8.2	19,046	NA	31.93	110.5	78.3
1982	47,688	NA	-1.6	17,394	37.93	35.01	102.2	70.3
1983			7.0			37.35	110.2	74.0
1984							123.9	80.8
1985								
1986								

--U.S. MANUFACTURING-- (SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)

MONTHLY DATA	Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Industrial Prod. Index	'84	119.6	121.0	122.0	122.8	123.2	124.1	125.4	125.9	125.6	125.5	126.0	125.8
	'85	121.2	125.2	126.4	125.9	126.6	127.1	126.8	127.0	127.9	127.5	128.1	129.3
	'86	129.8											
Capacity Utilization Rate (%)	'84[r]	79.2	80.0	80.4	80.7	80.7	81.1	81.7	81.8	81.3	81.1	81.2	80.9
	'85	80.7	80.4	80.5	80.5	80.3	80.1	80.1	80.7	80.4	79.6	80.1	80.5
	'86	80.6											

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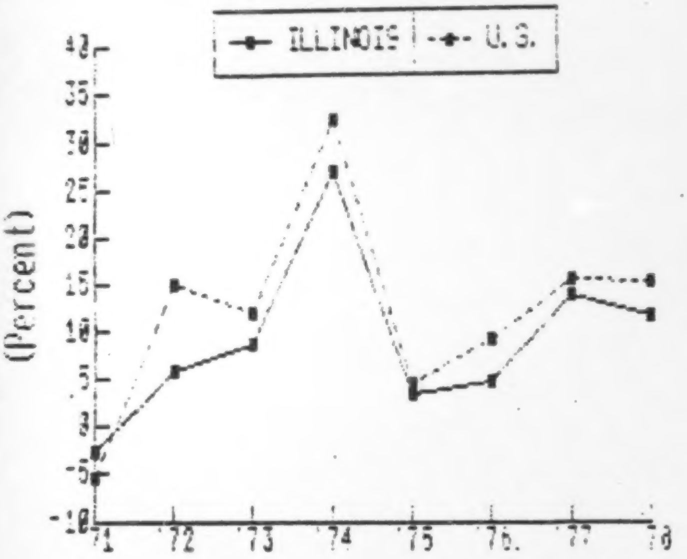
*Value of Production (Value Added) per manhour of work.

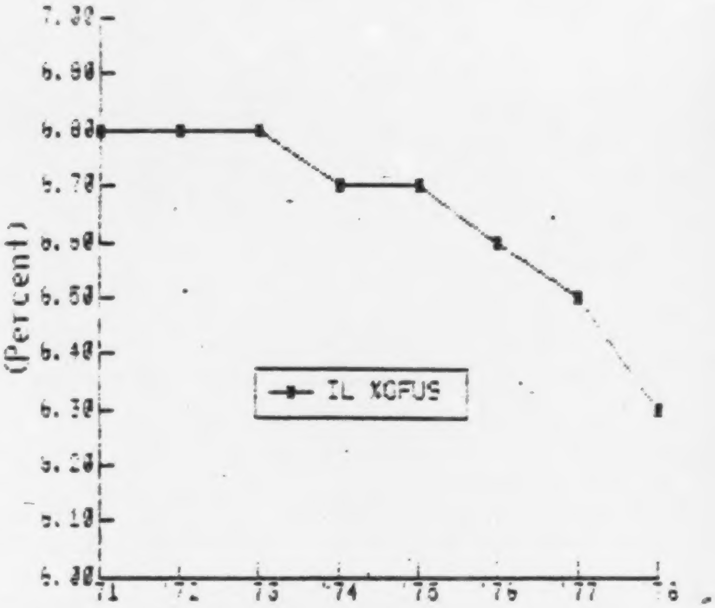
SOURCE: U.S. Department of Commerce, Federal Reserve System.

ILLINOIS CAPITAL IN MANUFACTURING

NEW CAPITAL EXPENDITURES
(Annual Percent Change)



GROSS BOOK VALUE OF DEPRECIABLE ASSETS
(Illinois as Percent of U.S.)



	(Millions of Dollars)					(Millions of Dollars)			
Year	Structures and Additions	Machinery and Equipment	Total	Total % Change Ill.	Total % Change U.S.	Structures and Buildings	Machinery and Equipment	Total	Illinois Percent of U.S.
1970	$402	$1,113	$1,515	—	--	$5,513	$12,849	$18,362	6.9
1971	448	1,028	1,476	-2.6	-9.2	5,796	13,165	18,962	6.8
1972	338	1,226	1,564	6.0	5.4	NA	NA	20,468*	6.8
1973	391*	1,308*	1,699	8.6	19.6	NA	NA	21,500*	6.8
1974	515	1,640	2,155	26.8	23.9	6,795	15,850	22,644	6.7
1975	494	1,734	2,229	3.4	2.3	7,172	17,486	24,658	6.7
1976	575	1,760	2,335	4.8	9.1	7,551	18,423	25,974	6.6
1977	531	2,131	2,662	14.0	15.3	8,029	20,298	28,327	6.5
1978	555	2,421	2,976	11.8	16.5	8,378	21,988	30,366	6.3
1979	NA	NA	NA	NA	22.1	NA	NA	NA	NA
1980	NA	NA	NA	NA	17.1	NA	NA	NA	NA
1981	NA	NA	NA	NA	12.7	9,819	27,649	37,468	5.9
1982	556	2,815	3,371	NA	-4.6	10,095	29,160	39,255	5.7
1983					-3.7				
1984					13.8				
1985**					10.5				

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*Estimate prepared by Illinois Department of Commerce and Community Affairs.

**Business plans to increase plant and equipment spending -- U.S. Dept. of Commerce survey (AUGUST).

SOURCE: Annual Survey of Manufacturers, U.S. Department of Commerce.

INTEREST RATES
(Average Percent)

				1985											
INSTRUMENT	**1983**	**1984**	**1985**	**Jan**	**Feb**	**Mar**	**Apr**	**May**	**June**	**July**	**Aug**	**Sept**	**Oct**	**Nov**	**Dec**
Federal Funds	9.06	10.22	8.10	8.14											
Discount Rate (NY Fed.)	8.50	8.80	7.69	7.50											
Prime Rate	11.16	12.04		9.50											
U.S. Treas. Bills															
(Secondary Market)															
3 month	8.61	9.52	7.48	7.07											
6 month	8.73	9.76	7.65	7.16											
Eurodollar Depos. (3 mo.)	9.56	10.73	8.28												
Bankers Accept. (90 day)	1.89	8.90	7.92	7.62											
Commercial Paper															
1 month	8.87	10.05	7.94	7.78											
3 month	8.88	10.10	7.95	7.71											
6 month	8.89	10.16	8.01	7.62											
Certificates of Deposit															
3 month	9.07	10.37	8.05	7.82											
6 month	9.27	10.68	8.25	7.83											
U.S. Treasury Bonds															
1 year	9.57	10.89	8.43	7.73											
3 year	10.45	11.89	9.64	8.41											
10 year	11.10	12.44	10.62	9.19											
State & Local Bonds															
Moody's Aaa	8.80	9.61	8.60												
"Bond Buyer" Series	9.51	10.10	9.10	8.08											
Corporate Bonds Aaa	12.04	12.71	11.37	10.05											
A - rated Utility Bond*	12.73	13.81	12.06	10.74											
Conventional Mortgages	13.43	13.87		10.88											
Dividend/Price Ratio															
Preferred Stocks	11.02	11.59	10.49												
Common Stocks	4.40	4.64	4.25												

* Changed from Aaa utility bonds because series was discontinued in January 1984.

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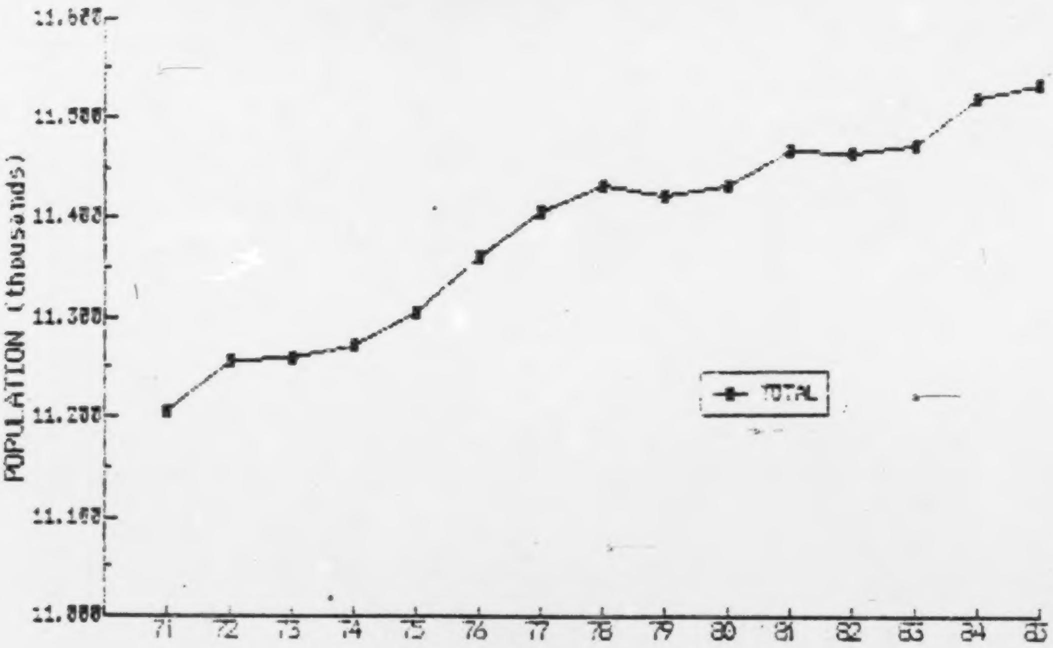
SOURCE: Federal Reserve System.

ILLINOIS POPULATION



POPULATION
(thousands)

RESIDENT POPULATION OF ILLINOIS

					Components of Change			Total Percent Change	
Year		Total	Change	Black	Births	Deaths	Net Migration	Ill.	U.S.
1970	(July 1 EST.)	11,125*		1,420	205,472	110,680	-13,800		
1971	(July 1 EST.)	11,206	+81		195,322	109,848	-33,500	0.7	1.5
1972	(July 1 EST.)	11,258	+52		178,222	111,298	-64,900	0.5	1.2
1973	(July 1 EST.)	11,260	+ 2	1,499	169,249	110,510	-44,700	0.0	1.0
1974	(July 1 EST.)	11,274	+14		169,215	108,171	-29,000	0.1	0.9
1975	(July 1 EST.)	11,306	+32	1,534	169,420	103,552	-11,900	0.3	1.0
1976	(July 1 EST.)	11,360	+54		170,257	103,665	-20,600	0.5	1.0
1977	(July 1 EST.)	11,406	+46		177,393	103,423	-45,900	0.4	1.0
1978	(July 1 EST.)	11,434	+28		174,509	103,026	-82,500	0.2	1.1
1979	(July 1 EST.)	11,423	-11		184,210	102,227	-71,900	-0.1	1.1
1980	(July 1 EST.)	11,433*	+10	1,675	190,058	N/A	N/A	0.1	1.2
1981	(July 1 EST.)	11,467	+34		N/A	N/A	-64,000	0.3	1.0
1982	(July 1 EST.)	11,466	-1				-86,000	0.0	1.0
1983	(July 1 EST.)	11,474	+8		N/A	N/A	-62,000	0.1	0.9
1984	(July 1 EST.)	11,522	+48				-35,000	0.4	0.9
1985	(July 1 PROV.)	11,535	+13				N/A	0.1	0.9

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*April 1, 1970 Census 11,110,258.
April 1, 1980 Census 11,426,518.

			U.S. Department of Commerce	
PROJECTIONS	Bureau of the Budget	National Planning Assoc.	Projection	Percent of U.S. Total
1985	11,585	N/A	N/A	N/A
1990	11,688	N/A	11,617	4.66
2000	12,091	11,900	11,774	4.40
2010	12,554	N/A	N/A	N/A

SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of the Census - Estimates and Projections.

ILLINOIS EXPORTS

AGRICULTURE (millions)

Product	FY 1972	FY 1983	FY 1984	1984 Ill. as % of U.S.
Soybean & Prod.	$404	$1258	$1232	16.3
Feed Grains	214	1417	1751	19.3
Wheat & Flour	28	106	116	1.7
Meats & Prod.	13	54	43	3.6
Hides & Skins	8	26	36	2.7
Fats & Oils	10	18	22	3.1
Other	81	81	79	0.7
TOTAL	$758	$2959	$3279	8.6
ILLINOIS RANK	(1)	(1)	(2)	

EMPLOYMENT RELATED TO EXPORTS (thousands)

	1977	1981	1983
Agriculture*	75.6	72.6	
Manufacturing	140.1	157.0	110.0
Trade	30.9	48.0	58.8
Business Services	15.2	32.6	27.5
Transp., Com., & Util.	13.0	15.5	23.6
Other	21.7	22.3	13.2
TOTAL	296.5	348.0	
Percent of Total Employment	6.0%	6.8%	

MANUFACTURING EXPORTS
(million dollars)

	1977			1983			Total Exports as % of Ill. Shpmts.	Employment Related to Mfg. Exports (thousands)	
	Direct	Indirect	Total	Direct	Indirect	Total	1981	1977	1983
Machines, exc. Elec.	2,892	566	3,458					40.8	
Primary Metal	186	1,088	1,273					14.0	
Food & Kindred	736	196	932					3.5	
Elec. Equip.	532	315	847					17.4	
Chemical & Allied	407	353	760					6.7	
Fabricated Metal	323	594	917					15.8	
Transp. Equip.	461	93	554					4.9	
Petroleum & Coal	53	145	198					.3	
Rubber & Plastic	74	143	217					4.5	
Instruments	254	57	312					6.7	
Paper & Allied	35	141	176					2.5	
Other	360	212	572					23.0	
TOTAL	6,313	3,903	10,216	6,362	5,455	11,817		140.1	110.0

TOTAL EXPORTS (millions)

	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984
Agriculture	$2,504	$2,752	$2,812	$2,923	$3,645	$3,871	$3,277	$2,959	$3,279
Manufacturing	10,433	10,216	10,511*	13,695*	16,445	17,039	16,511*	11,817	NA
Direct	(6,660)	(6,313)	NA	NA	(10,084)	(10,369)	(9,300)	(6,362)	NA
Indirect	(3,773)	(3,903)	NA	NA	(6,360)	(6,670)	(7,211)	(5,455)	
Gross Total	12,937	12,788	13,323	16,618	20,090	20,910	19,788	14,776	
Less Duplication**	-963	-1029	-1,062*	-1,397*	-1,796	-1,534	-1,438	NA	
Net Total	$11,974	$11,759	$12,261	$15,221	$18,294	$19,376	$18,350	$ NA	
ILLINOIS RANK	(2)	(2)	(NA)	(NA)	(3)	(3)	(NA)	(5)	

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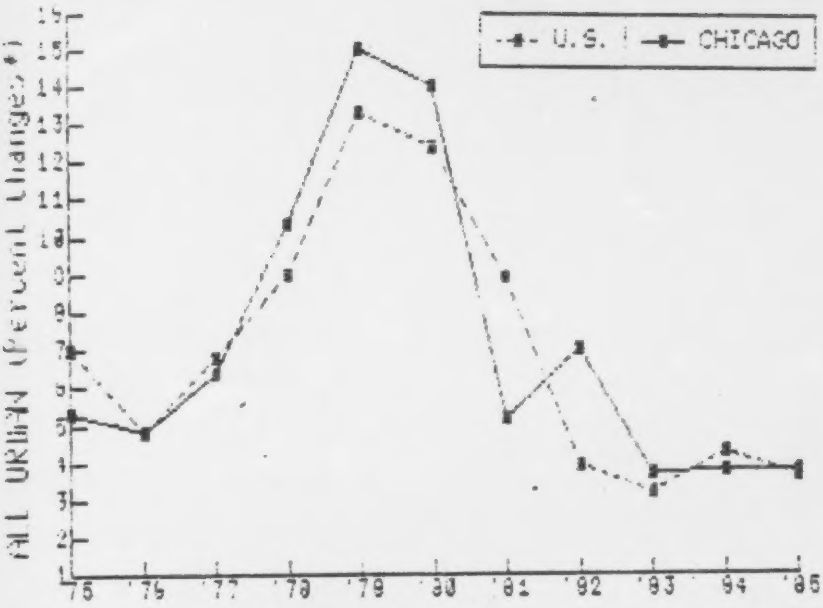
*Estimates prepared by Department of Commerce and Community Affairs

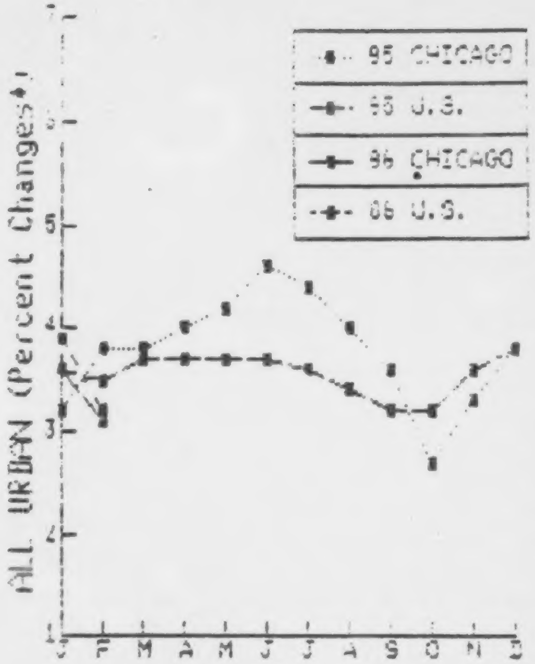
**Both Agriculture and Manufacturing include processed foods.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Agriculture, U.S. Department of Commerce.

U.S. AND CHICAGO/NORTHWESTERN INDIANA
CONSUMER PRICE INDEX
ALL ITEMS



ALL URBAN
ANNUAL
(1967=100)



1986
MONTH
(1967=100)

			% Change from Preceeding Period*			ALL URBAN				URBAN WAGE EARNERS			
						U.S.		CHICAGO		U.S.		CHICAGO	
Year	U.S.	CHICAGO	U.S.	CHICAGO	Mo.	INDEX	% Chge from 1 yr. ago	INDEX	% Chge from 1 yr. ago	INDEX	% Chge from 1 yr. ago	INDEX	% Chge from 1 yr. ago
1971	121.3	120.8	3.4	2.6	Jan	328.4	3.9	326.3	3.6	324.3	3.7	312.9	3.4
1972	125.3	124.3	3.4	3.1	Feb	327.5	3.2	324.4	3.1	323.2	3.0	312.8	2.9
1973	133.1	132.0	8.8	8.5	Mar								
1974	147.7	146.1	12.2	12.0	Apr								
1975	161.2	157.6	7.0	5.3	May								
1976	170.5	165.1	4.8	4.8	June								
1977	181.5	175.6	6.8	6.4	July								
1978	195.4	190.7	9.0	10.3	Aug								
1979	217.4	214.6	13.3	15.0	Sept								
1980	246.8	245.5	12.4	14.0	Oct								
1981	272.4	269.0	8.9	5.2	Nov								
1982	289.1	287.4	3.9	7.0	Dec								
1983	298.4	298.8	3.2	3.7									
1984	311.1	310.1	4.3	3.3									
1985	322.2	321.8	3.8	3.8									
1986**			3.5, 3.2										
1987**			4.0, 3.4										

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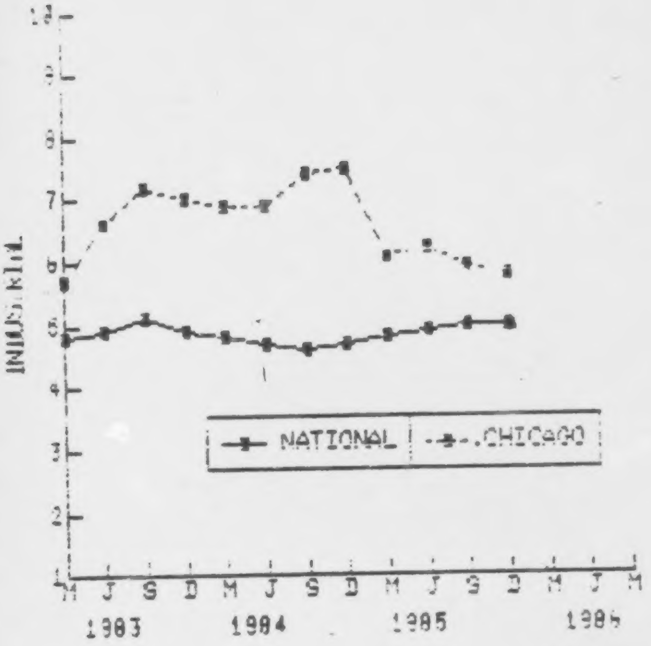
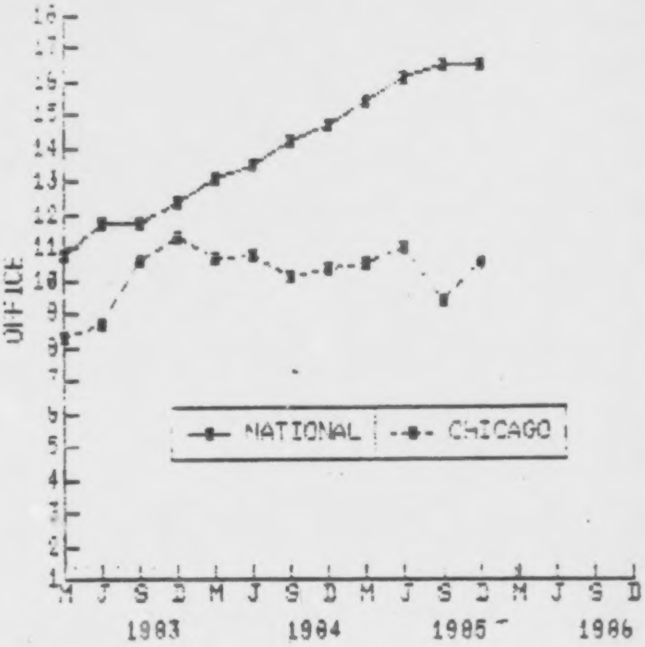
*Annual changes are from Dec. to Dec. (unadjusted).

**Chase Econometric Forecast (JANUARY), Data Resources Forecast (FEBRUARY), Average annual changes.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Labor.

INDUSTRIAL AND OFFICE VACANCY RATES





INDUSTRIAL VACANCY RATES**

	1983				1984				1985				1986			
	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D
National	4.8	4.9	5.1	4.9	4.8	4.7	4.6	4.7	4.8	4.9	5.0	5.0				
Chicago	5.7	6.6	7.2	7.0	6.9	6.9	7.4	7.5	6.1	6.2	5.9	5.8				
Southern California	5.2	5.8	5.6	5.0	5.0	5.3	5.0	5.4	5.7	6.3	6.3	6.5				
Philadelphia	6.3	5.7	5.3	5.2	4.7	4.3	3.5	3.5	3.7	3.4	3.0	3.5				
Houston	3.7	3.7	5.7	5.6	5.4	4.8	5.0	6.7	10.7	10.7	11.1	10.8				
St. Louis[r]	4.1	4.9	4.8	6.0	6.2	5.2	4.7	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.3				

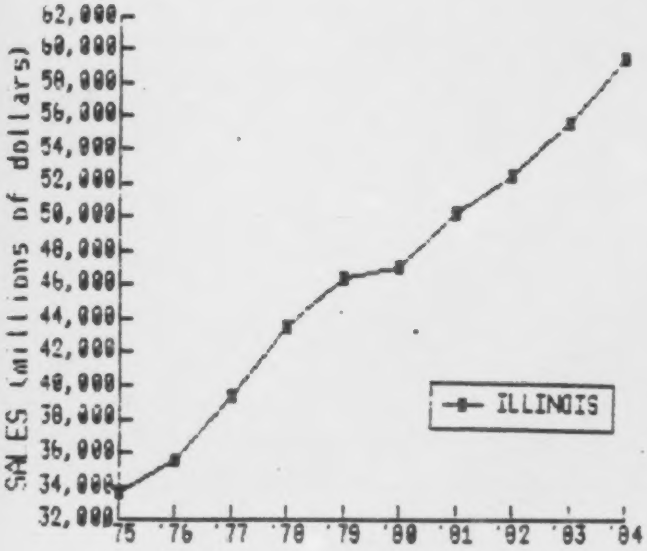
*Percentage of vacant or available space to total amount of industrial space in buildings of 100,000 sq. ft. or more in 19 metro areas.

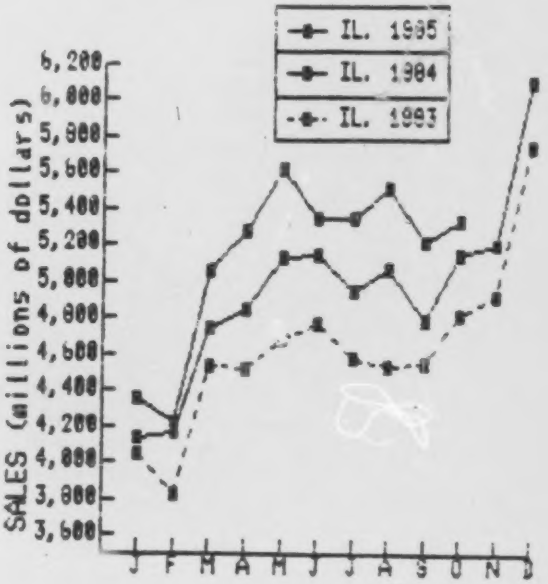
DOWNTOWN OFFICE VACANCY RATES**

	1983				1984				1985				1986			
	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D
National	10.8	11.7	11.7	12.4	13.1	13.5	14.2	14.7	15.4	16.1	16.5	16.5				
New York	3.4	4.2	3.6	3.7	4.5	6.5	6.6	8.3	8.5	10.4	10.0	11.1				
Chicago	8.3	8.7	10.6	11.3	10.7	10.8	10.1	10.4	10.5	11.0	9.4	10.6				
Suburban	18.7	18.0	16.1	15.8	13.8	13.4	13.8	16.8	18.7	19.0	18.9	21.7				
Los Angeles	11.6	13.0	13.1	12.3	12.2	11.8	12.9	11.8	12.4	12.8	13.5	18.2				
Phil'phia	11.6	9.4	9.0	8.6	8.8	9.6	10.1	9.0	8.0	8.2	8.8	10.2				
Houston	8.9	12.1	12.5	14.6	18.5	21.1	20.9	20.9	19.5	20.2	19.3	20.2				
St. Louis	10.6	8.5	8.5	12.0	10.5	9.5	10.7	9.8	11.0	10.9	10.4	10.8				

**Percentage of vacant space for lease or rent to total square footage in office buildings surveyed in 22 downtown areas.
SOURCE: Coldwell Banker.

ILLINOIS SALES OF ALL RETAIL STORES





ANNUAL
(millions)

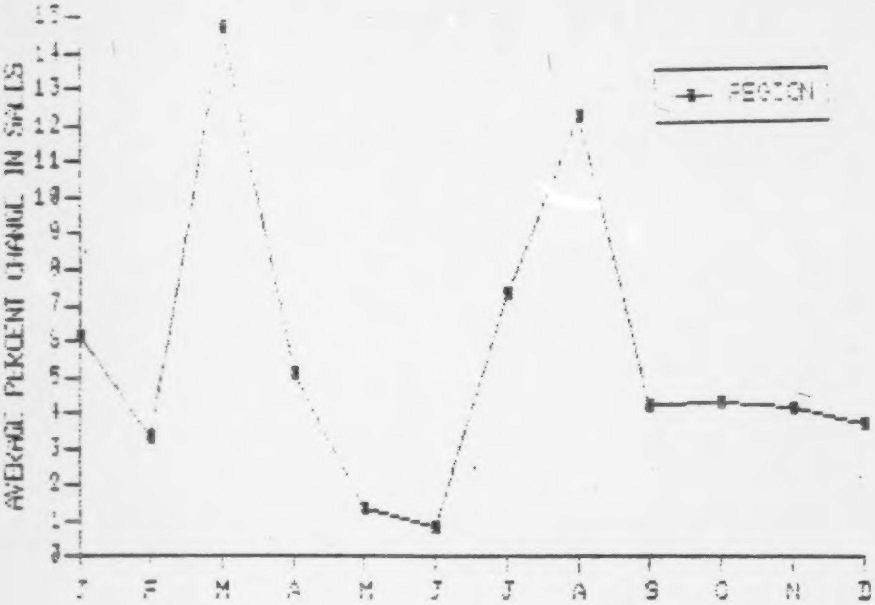
	------AMOUNT-----------			--PERCENT CHANGE---			
Year	Ill.	Chicago SMSA•	Chicago City	Ill.	Chicago SMSA•	Chicago City	U.S.
1975	33,643	21,239	8,774	8.2	5.7	0.9	8.7
1976	35,593	23,772	9,492	5.8	11.9	8.2	11.8
1977**	39,337	26,014	9,442	10.5	9.4	-0.5	10.3
1978	43,523	28,780	10,718	10.6	10.6	13.5	11.3
1979	46,324	31,054	10,939	6.4	7.9	2.1	11.5
1980	46,999	31,537	10,689	1.4	1.6	-2.3	2.9
1981	50,122	32,586	10,958	6.6	3.3	2.5	8.8
1982	52,465	34,692	10,967	4.7	6.5	0.1	2.7
1983	55,566	36,713	11,094	5.9	5.8	1.2	6.7
1984	59,468	39,697	12,505	7.0	8.1	12.7	10.5
1985	63,102	41.946	12,581	6.1	5.7	0.6	6.3

MONTH*
(millions)
1985

				Percent Change from 1 Year Ago			
Mo.	Ill.	Chicago SMSA•	Chicago City	Ill.	Chicago SMSA•	Chicago City	U.S.
Jan	4,366	2,877	873	5.5	5.1	5.2	6.5
Feb	4,232	2,831	849	1.5	0.7	-3.3	2.1
Mar	5,062	3,299	968	6.6	5.0	-2.3	5.5
Apr	5,283	3,400	1,010	4.2	4.5	0.4	8.1
May	5,623	3,636	1,053	9.4	6.2	-2.5	7.6
Jun	5,347	3,405	1,020	3.7	-0.9	-4.0	2.3
Jul	5,350	3,543	1,108	7.8	8.8	6.5	8.1
Aug	5,512	3,716	1,143	8.1	11.2	3.6	9.0
Sep^{r}	5,217	3,526	1,063	8.8	11.2	2.3	9.8
Oct^{p}	5,359	3,653	1,124	4.0	5.6	--	6.0
Nov^{p}	5,455	3,744	1,119	1.9			4.6
Dec^{p}	6,296	4,316	1,251	1.1			5.8

•SMSA data will not be revised for new PMSA/MSA/CSA configurations until 1987.
p=preliminary
*Data are not adjusted for seasonal variations, holidays, or trading-day differences.
**Extensive modifications to monthly survey begin with April, 1977 data.
SOURCE: Monthly Retail Trade, U.S. Department of Commerce.

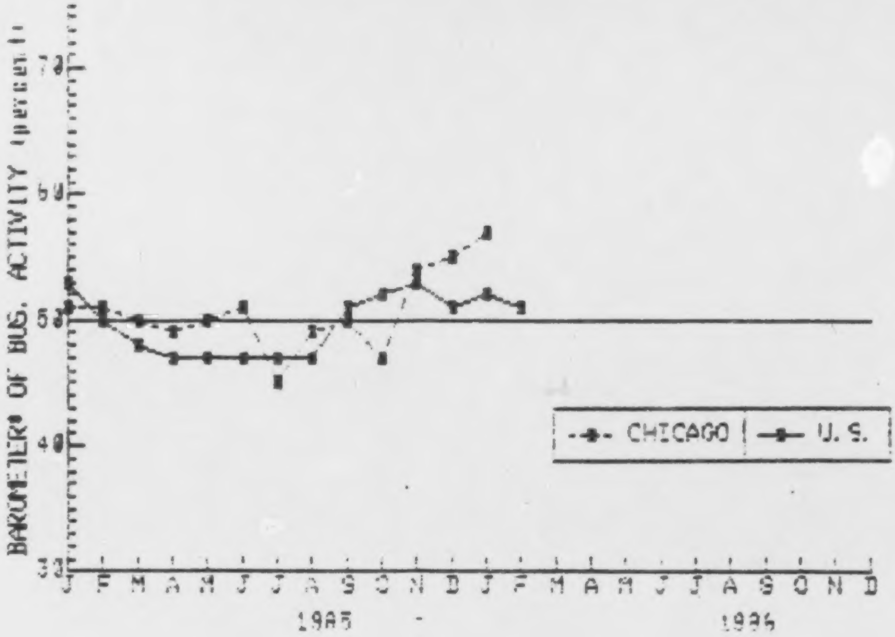
RETAILERS SALES COMPARISON



	GROSS SALES RECEIPTS AVERAGE % CHANGE FROM 1 YEAR AGO				TOTAL REGIONAL AVERAGE CHANGE IN SALES BY TYPE		
MONTH	REGION*	CHICAGO	NO. ILL.	CEN./ SOUTH	DEPT.	SPECIALITY	OTHER
YEAR 1984	8.28%	8.99%	6.11%	6.34%	8.91%	2.37%	3.85%
1985							
JAN	6.13	8.91	-3.02	0.99	6.17	8.76	0.90
FEB	3.31	5.04	4.51	-5.50	3.10	6.83	3.06
MAR	14.65	15.73	9.68	10.85	15.19	17.23	0.82
APR	5.15	7.65	-4.81	0.68	5.35	7.18	-0.55
MAY	1.35	2.71	-4.24	-0.42	1.58	-1.34	1.07
JUNE	0.82	2.02	-5.46	-1.71	0.99	-0.48	-0.13
JULY	7.32	9.37	-1.48	3.46	7.91	2.37	4.56
AUG	12.26	14.98	3.53	3.91	12.21	13.18	11.75
SEPT	4.25	3.75	8.98	2.29	4.23	7.94	-0.44
OCT	4.30	6.14	-1.65	-3.66	4.18	3.88	6.61
NOV	4.15	5.02	2.12	0.08	3.89	8.82	4.61
DEC	3.74	3.86	2.43	6.06	4.64	-3.57	-4.09
Year to Date	5.17%	6.29%	2.11%	2.43%	5.32%	5.28%	1.80%

*Regional figures include Chicago, Northern Illinois, Central/Southern Illinois, and Northern Indiana.
SOURCE: Illinois Retail Merchants Association.

PURCHASING MANAGERS SURVEY



		J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
BAROMETER (Composite Index* of Business Activity-Actual)													
CHICAGO	1985	51	51	50	49	50	51	45	49	50	47	54	55
	1986	57											
U.S.	1985	53	50	48	47	47	47	47	47	51	52	53	51
	1986	52	51										

CHICAGO SERIES ITEM INDEX*

	1986	1985	
PRODUCTION	60	59	53
NEW ORDERS	60	61	56
ORDER BACKLOG	53	50	50
INVENTORIES	49	47	47
EMPLOYMENT	44	43	42
VENDOR DEL.	54	58	55
PRICES PAID	58	50	52

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*Index of 50 or above indicates expansion, less than 50 means contraction
**Barometer data is seasonally adjusted; all other data not seasonally adjusted.
SOURCE: Purchasing Management Association of Chicago

ILLINOIS
STATE GOVERNMENT

STATE TRANSACTIONS - GENERAL FUNDS, 1986
(millions)

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
BEGINNING AVAILABLE BALANCE	$308	$249	$112									
Revenues:												
Income Tax	307	245										
Sales Tax	249	232										
Other	134	104										
Transfers In	61	65										
Federal	141	112										
TOTAL REVENUES	892	758										
Expenditures:												
Public Aid	265	231										
Common School Fund	163	163										
Operations	271	237										
Other	191	180										
Transfers Out	61	84										
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	951	895										
ENDING AVAILABLE BALANCE	249	112										

STATE EMPLOYMENT AND PAYROLL

	TOTAL		ALL AGENCIES EXCEPT EDUCATION		EDUCATION	
1985	Employees	Payrolls (000)	Employees	Payrolls (000)	Employees	Payrolls (000)
January	114,411	$198,847	76,843	$143,533	37,568	$55,314
February	116,578	199,100	77,089	143,066	39,489	56,034
March	116,757	196,989	77,436	140,258	39,321	56,731
April	117,155	196,701	77,757	140,694	39,398	56,007
May	116,287	195,075	78,017	142,016	38,270	53,060
June	110,833	203,051	79,702	146,543	31,131	56,508
July	110,566	202,491	79,970	149,782	30,596	52,709
August	114,650	207,652	80,257	150,386	34,393	57,266
September	118,514	212,906	78,499	149,527	40,015	63,379
October	120,223	214,484	78,507	149,934	41,716	64,550
November	121,453	218,017	78,597	151,386	42,856	66,631
December	118,038	214,967	78,732	153,818	39,306	61,149
1986						
January	116,380	$212,799	78,417	$152,558	37,963	$60,241

SOURCE: Office of the Controller

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ADDENDUM

Among the changes to note in this and upcoming issues of the Bi-Monthly Economic Data Sheets are the repagination of most the graphs and tables, the resumption of the monthly and annual reporting of Cash Receipts from Farm Marketings (on page 3), and the important addition of several series dealing with unemployment (now on page 7).

The four new unemployment tables are:

1. Job Losers as a Percent of Unemployed (for the state and the nation on a monthly basis for the current year, with graph);
2. Mean Duration in Weeks (average length of time unemployed, for the state and the nation on a monthly basis for the current year, with graph);
3. Number of Unemployed (for the state, on a monthly basis in units of thousands of persons, for the current year. Definitions for terminology follow);
4. Duration (for the state, in units of thousands of persons, by number of weeks unemployed, on a monthly basis for the current year).

The categories employed for Table 3, Number of Unemployed, have been defined by the U.S. Department of Labor as:

Unemployed persons are all civilians who had no employment during the survey week, were available for work, except for temporary illness, and (a) had made specific efforts to find employment sometime during the prior 4 weeks, or (b) were waiting to be recalled to a job from which they had been laid off, or (c) were waiting to report to a new job within 30 days.

Duration of unemployment represents the length of time (through the current survey week) during which persons classified as unemployed had been continuously looking for work. For persons on layoff, duration of unemployment represents the number of full weeks since the termination of their most recent employment. A period of two weeks or more during which a person was employed or ceased looking for work is considered to break the continuity of the present period of seeking work. Measurements of mean and median duration are computed from a distribution of single weeks of unemployment.

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Unemployment is also categorized according to the status of individuals at the time they began to look for work. The reasons for unemployment are divided into four major groups. (1) Job losers are persons whose employment ended involuntarily who immediately began looking for work, and persons on layoff. (2) Job leavers are persons who quit or otherwise terminated their employment voluntarily and immediately began looking for work. (3) Reentrants are persons who previously worked at a full-time job lasting 2 weeks or longer but were out of the labor force prior to beginning to look for work. (4) New entrants are persons who never worked at a full-time job lasting 2 weeks or longer. Each of these four categories of the unemployed may be expressed as an unemployment rate or proportion of the entire civilian labor force; the sum of the four rates thus equals the unemployment rate for all civilian workers.

SOURCE: Current Population Survey, U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics (A-14; A-40).

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HIGHLIGHTS APRIL/MAY, 1986

NATIONAL

Real GNP rose at a 3.7% annual rate in the first quarter, 0.5% above last month's preliminary estimate. Nonfarm inventory investment and federal government purchases were the major upward revisions.

Housing starts rose 4.1% in April to an annual rate of 2.01 million units. During the past four months, starts have averaged almost 2 million units at an annual rate, a healthy gain from the 1.7 million unit pace of the previous three years and the strongest showing since the 1977-78 housing boom.

Retail sales advanced 0.5% in April following a 0.9% decline in March. Automotive sales rebounded after falling in February and March.

Personal income rose 1.2% in April, following a 0.2% increase in March. The pick-up reflected a jump in subsidy payments to farmers. Excluding these subsidies, personal income rose 0.2% in April, after a 0.3% rise in March. With prices falling, even these modest nominal increases mean healthy increases in real consumer incomes.

Consumer installment debt rose in March by $3.7 billion, or 8.1% at an annual rate, well below the debt increases of $7.7 billion in January and $5.0 billion in February. The personal saving rate improved to 5.4% in April from 4.4% in the first quarter.

The CPI fell 0.3% in April, following declines of 0.4% in February and March. Energy prices dropped 5.8% in April; prices of other items advanced 0.4%. The total CPI was up 1.6% from April 1985, while prices of all items less energy rose 3.7% in the last 12 months.

Producer prices for finished goods fell 0.6% in April, bringing their decline to 4.1% since December. Gasoline, fuel oil, and natural gas prices dropped 8.4%. Food prices edged up 0.1%, as increases in vegetable prices offset declines in the prices of most other products.

The industrial operating rate remained at 79.3% in April, 2.7% below the recent peak of August 1984. The capacity utilization rate in manufacturing edged up 0.2% to 79.4%.

Output per hour in the nonfarm business sector climbed at a 3.4% annual rate last quarter. Output rose at a 4.0% rate, and hours increased at only a 0.6% rate. In manufacturing, productivity increased at a 2.4% rate last quarter and rose 2.6% during the last four quarters.

Inventories rose 0.4% in March following a small gain the month before. During the past year, inventories rose 1.6% with gains for wholesale and retail trade offsetting cuts by manufacturers.

Monetary aggregates increased strongly last in April: M-1 rose 1.2%, M-2 increased 1.1%, and M-3 grew 0.9%. M-1 continued above the upper limit of the Fed's target path for its growth, while M-2 and M-3 were within their target ranges.

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STATE

Quarterly Gross State Product figures have been revised to reflect a new GNP methodology, beginning with the 1984 and 1985 data. Seasonally adjusted at an annual rate, 1985 GSP was estimated to have reached $191.3 billion in the third quarter, a 0.9% increase from the second quarter of last year.

Personal income figures have also been revised. Total personal income in 1985 reached $165,900 million, 5.8% above 1984. In the fourth quarter of 1985, total personal income was $169,625. Per capita personal income rose to $14,397 in 1985, 4.3% higher than the year before and 7.0% higher than the 1985 national average.

Total bituminous coal production jumped to its highest level this year in April, to 5,866,000 tons, 12.9% higher than April, 1985. Underground mining accounted for 66.1% of the total tons mined; just over a third came from underground mines.

Total contracts for future construction rose in both February and March, to $469 million and $508 million, respectively. Residential construction awards vaulted $145 million in the latest period; the non-residential sector remained unchanged and non-building construction declined.

The state labor force total increased in April, to 5,683,000 from 5,667,000 in March. The number unemployed dropped 7.2% in the interval, and the total number employed was 1.3% higher this April than last. Manufacturing employment gains occurred in February and March, to 965,000 and 967,000.

Average hourly earnings for production workers increased in February and March, to $10.54 and $10.60, respectively. Average weekly hours and wages declined in February but bounced back in March, to 40.6 hours and $430.36.

The seasonally adjusted state unemployment rate declined in March and April, dropping to 8.2% in the latest period. In the construction sector, 18,000 new jobs were added, the largest monthly increase in six years; the service and retail sectors each added 7,000 jobs. All PMSA's reported decreases in unemployment rates in March, the latest period.

Help-Wanted Advertising Indexes, an indicator of future economic upturns, increased for Chicago and also for the East North Central region to which it belongs in February, to 93 and 92, respectively (1967=100).

New business incorporations in February, at 2,584, were up 6.7% over February, 1986.

Consumer prices continued to drop in March and April for both of the Chicago area indexes: CPI-U, 323.9 and 323.7; CPI-W, 321.4 and 320.4. Lower costs for energy contributed significantly to the ongoing declines.

Both office and industrial vacancy rates increased for Chicago in the first quarter. The former increased from 10.6% to 11.0%, the latter from 5.8% to 6.2%.

Retail sales while off slightly in February ($4,429 million from $4,561 million in January), were up 4.7% compared with February, 1985. SMSA and Chicago city sales acted similarly, and registered gains of 9.4% and 5.5% over February, 1985.

A monthly barometer of business activity, the Purchasing Manager's Survey for Chicago held steady in March. The revised monthly composite index readings stayed at 56 through March of this year, indicating anticipated continued expansion in the economy.

The state general funds available balance revived in April from low levels in the prior months. The ending April GRF balance was $245 million, up from $112 million at the end of February, which marked the first time since November, 1983 that GRF fell below $200 million.

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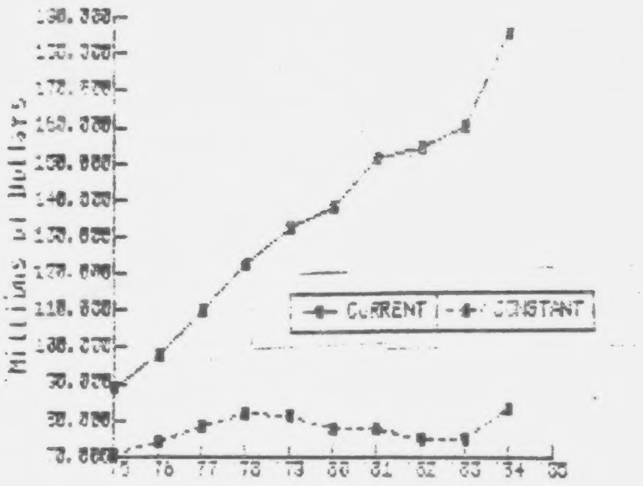
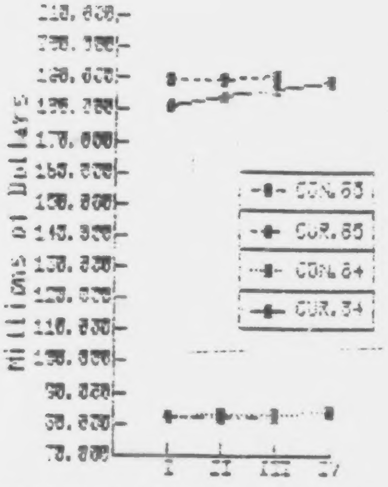
ILLINOIS GROSS STATE PRODUCT





ANNUAL
(millions)

Year	Current	Constant (1972=100)	Constant $ Percent Change ILL.	Constant $ Percent Change U.S.
1971	63,278	65,901	0.4	3.4
1972	67,983	67,983	3.2	5.7
1973	76,294	72,111	6.1	5.8
1974	81,929	71,193	-1.3	-0.6
1975	89,039	70,784	-0.6	-1.2
1976	98,244	74,236	4.9	5.4
1977	109,876	78,455	5.7	5.5
1978	122,730	81,591	4.0	5.0
1979	132,893	81,319	-0.3	2.8
1980	138,463	77,510	-4.7	-0.3
1981	152,141	77,963	0.6	2.5
1982	155,007	74,926	-3.9	-2.1
1983	160,567	74,564	-0.5	3.5
1984^r	185,660	83,106	9.5^r	6.5^r
1985^r				2.2^r
1986				2.5, 2.5**
1987				3.2, 3.5**
1988				2.6, 3.2**

QUARTER*
(millions)

Year	Current	Constant (1972=100)	Constant $ % Change at Annual Rate Ill.	Constant $ % Change at Annual Rate U.S.
1984^r				
I	181,438	82,255	--	11.4
II	184,617	83,011	3.7	5.1
III	186,883	83,218	1.0	2.0
IV	189,131	83,649	2.1	0.6
1985^r				
I	189,059	82,533	-5.2	3.7
II	189,620	82,238	-1.4	1.1
III^p	191,322	82,441	1.0	3.0
IV				0.7

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p - preliminary r - revised (New methodology makes these numbers not comparable to previous years

*Seasonally adjusted at annual rates.

**Chase Econometrics Forecast (APRIL), Data Resources Forecast (APRIL).

SOURCE: Illinois Department of Commerce and Community Affairs.

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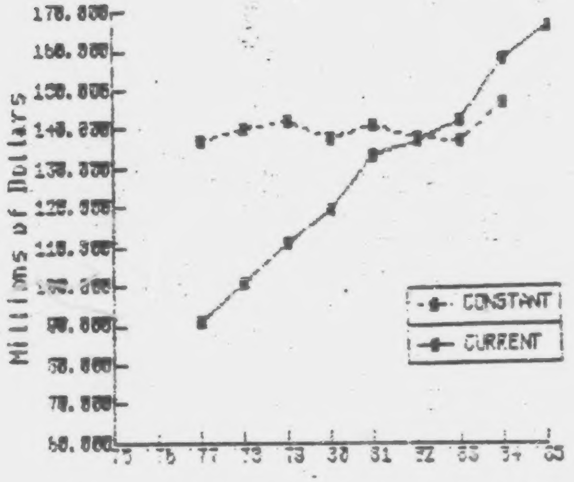

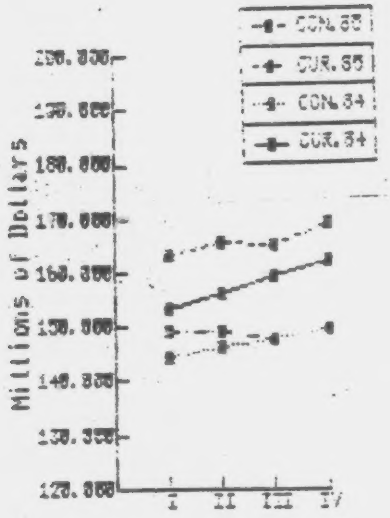

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Year	Amount (millions) Cur-rent	Amount (millions) Con-stant**	Percentage Change Current ILL.	Percentage Change Current U.S.	Percentage Change Constant ILL.	Percentage Change Constant U.S.	Current $ Per Capita Personal Income ILL.	Current $ Per Capita Personal Income U.S.
1977	91,253	136,811	10.0	10.8	4.0	4.7	8,000	6,984
1978	100,567	140,457	10.2	12.5	2.7	5.1	8,795	7,772
1979	111,264	142,281	10.6	12.1	1.3	2.9	9,741	8,651
1980	119,451	137,934	7.4	11.0	-3.1	0.8	10,448	9,494
1981	133,125	140,724	11.5	12.2	2.0	3.5	11,609	10,544
1982	137,285	137,285	3.1	-6.4	-2.4	0.6	11,985	11,113
1983	142,300	136,959	3.6	6.1	-0.4	2.1	12,393	11,690
1984	157,753	145,798	10.9	10.3	7.3	6.4	13,802	12,772
1985	165,900	148,656	5.8	5.8		2.8	14,397	13,451
1986				5.1, 5.1***				
1987				6.2, 5.8***				
1988				6.2, 6.7***				

QUARTER

	Amount (millions)	% Change at Annual Rates ILL.	% Change at Annual Rates U.S.
1984 CURRENT			
I	153,280	17.2	12.4
II	156,304	8.1	9.1
III	159,297	7.9	8.7
IV	162,133	7.3	6.6
1984 CONSTANT			
I	143,655	3.1	7.8
II	145,264	5.2	6.0
III	146,547	3.8	5.0
IV	147,932	4.4	4.0
1985 CURRENT			
I	163,275	2.8	6.2
II	165,481	5.5	4.0
III	165,219	-0.6	2.6
IV	169,625	11.1	4.8
1985 CONSTANT			
I	148,028	2.6	3.5
II	148,680	1.8	0.3
III	147,385	-3.8	0.5
IV	150,111	7.5	0.5

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r - revised
*Seasonally adjusted at annual rates.
**Personal Consumption Expenditures deflator for U.S. (1982=100).
***Chase Econometric Forecast (APRIL), Data Resources Forecast (MAY).
SOURCE: Survey of Current Business, U.S. Department of Commerce.

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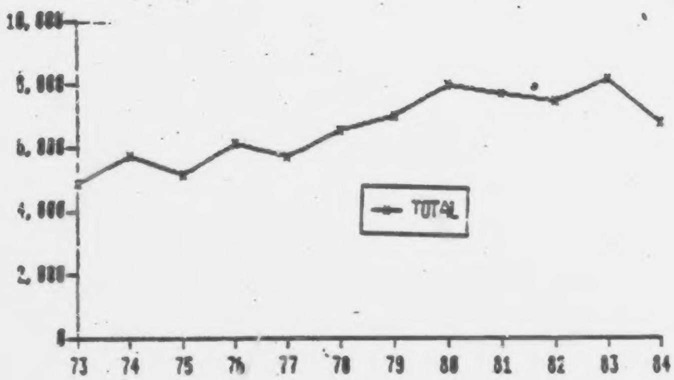
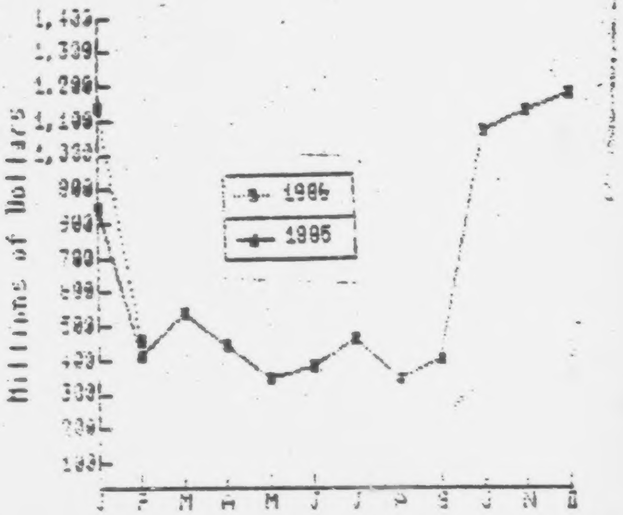
CASH RECEIPTS FROM FARM MARKETINGS





ANNUAL
(millions)

Year	Livestock	Crops	Total	Total Percent Change ILL.	Total Percent Change U.S.
1970	1,314	1,496	2,810	1.2	4.9
1971	1,188	1,548	2,736	-2.6	4.8
1972	1,488	1,832	3,319	21.3	15.7
1973	1,923	2,959	4,882	47.1	42.3
1974	1,799	3,933	5,731	17.4	6.1
1975	1,873	3,320	5,193	-9.4	-4.6
1976	1,847	4,290	6,134	18.1	7.4
1977	1,874	3,823	5,697	-7.1	0.8
1978	2,127	4,430	6,556	15.1	16.9
1979	2,383	4,584	6,967	6.3	17.1
1980	2,321	5,650	7,971	14.4	-5.9
1981	2,225	5,420	7,645	-4.1	2.6
1982r	2,368	5,169	7,537	-1.4	-0.1
1983r	2,295	4,847	7,142	-5.2	-3.2
1984r	2,182	4,556	6,738	-5.6	7.2
1985	2,176	5,379	7,555	12.1	1.2

MONTH
(millions)

1986 Month	Livestock	Crops	Total	Total % Change from 1 Year Ago ILL.	Total % Change from 1 Year Ago U.S.
Jan	172	965	1137	35.2	6.3
Feb	156	298	454	9.7	-0.1
Mar					
Apr					
May					
June					
July					
Aug					
Sept					
Oct					
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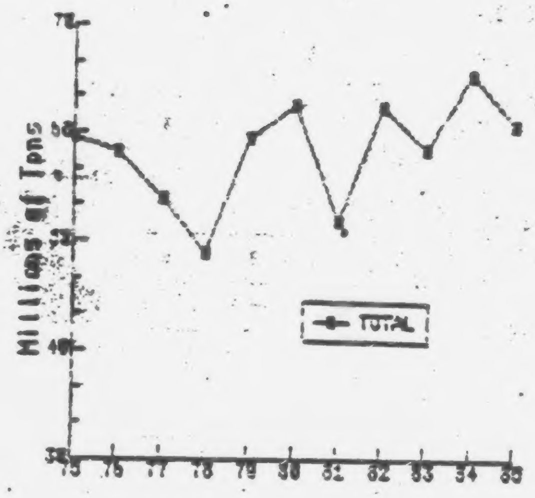
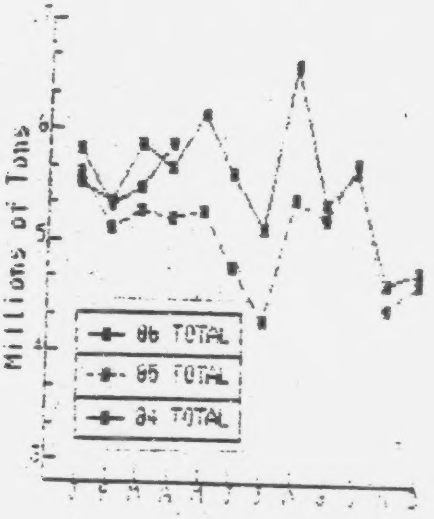
r - revised
SOURCE: Agricultural Outlook, U.S. Department of Agriculture.

ILLINOIS BITUMINOUS COAL PRODUCTION





ANNUAL (thousands of tons)					MONTHLY (thousands of tons)				
				PERCENT TOTAL OF		TOTAL	1986		
Year	SURFACE	UNDERGROUND	TOTAL	U.S.	Month	1985	SURFACE	UNDERGROUND	TOTAL
1970	33,269	31,615	64,884	10.8	Jan	5,620	2,079	3,734	5,813
1971	28,961	29,454	58,415[s]	10.6	Feb	5,098	1,905	3,403	5,308
1972	33,806	31,715	65,621	11.0	March	5,258	1,825	3,660	5,485
1973	28,971	32,578	61,549	10.4	April	5,196	1,990	3,876	5,866
1974	26,969	31,104	58,073	9.6	May	5,266			
1975	27,659	31,880	59,539	9.2	June	4,750			
1976	27,224	30,912	58,136	8.6	July	4,269			
1977	24,291	29,589	53,880	7.7	Aug	5,384			
1978	23,855	24,889	48,744[s]	7.3	Sept	5,193			
1979	26,857	32,681	59,538	7.6	Oct[r]	5,714			
1980	27,574	34,968	62,542	7.5	Nov	4,389			
1981	22,563	29,236	51,799[s]	6.3	Dec	4,633			
1982	25,750	36,477	62,227	7.4					
1983[r]	25,003	33,370	58,373	7.5					
1984[r]	25,344	39,945	65,289	7.5					
1985[p]	21,783	38,987	60,770						

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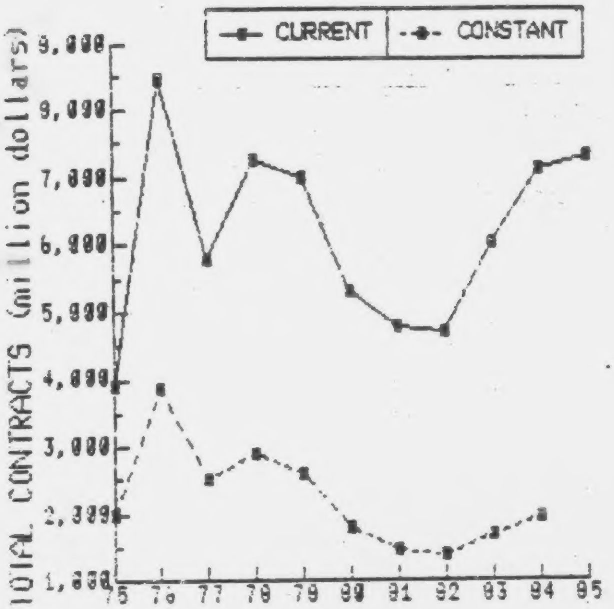
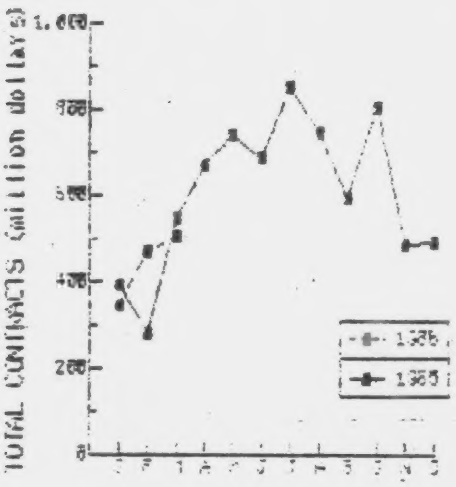
r - revised p - preliminary
s - Affected by major strike activity.
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Mines and Minerals.

ILLINOIS CONTRACTS FOR FUTURE* CONSTRUCTION





ANNUAL
(millions)

Year	Residential	Non-Res.	Non-Bldg.	TOTAL Current Amount	Constant Amount**	Current Percent Change Ill.	U.S.
1975	1,363	1,482	1,062	3,907	1,988	-10.7	-1.1
1976	2,172	1,591	4,697	8,459	3,886	116.5	22.3
1977	3,183	1,641	962	5,786	2,511	-31.6	26.5
1978	3,463	2,200	1,599	7,262	2,905	25.5	13.4
1979	2,788	2,498	1,711	6,997	2,576	-3.6	4.0
1980	1,702	2,192	1,408	5,302	1,786	-24.4	-13.0
1981	1,579	2,240	962	4,781	1,471	-9.8	1.2
1982	1,435	1,977	1,284	4,696	1,393	-1.0	0.7
1983	2,338	2,242	1,439	6,020	1,678	28.2	23.0
1984	2,435	2,829	1,834	7,099	1,946	17.2	8.4
1985	2,607	3,027	1,667	7,301		5.6	5.8
1986***						5.0ʳ	4.0ʳ
1987							

MONTH
(millions)

1986 Month	Residential	Non-Res.	Non-Bldg.	TOTAL Amt.	% Change from 1 Year Ago Ill.	U.S.
Jan	$117	$157	$73	$347	-11	-14
Feb	158	142	169	469	+72	+11
Mar	303	145	60	508	-9	
Apr						
May						
June						
July						
Aug						
Sept						
Oct						
Nov						
Dec						
CUMULATIVE YEAR-TO-DATE					+10	

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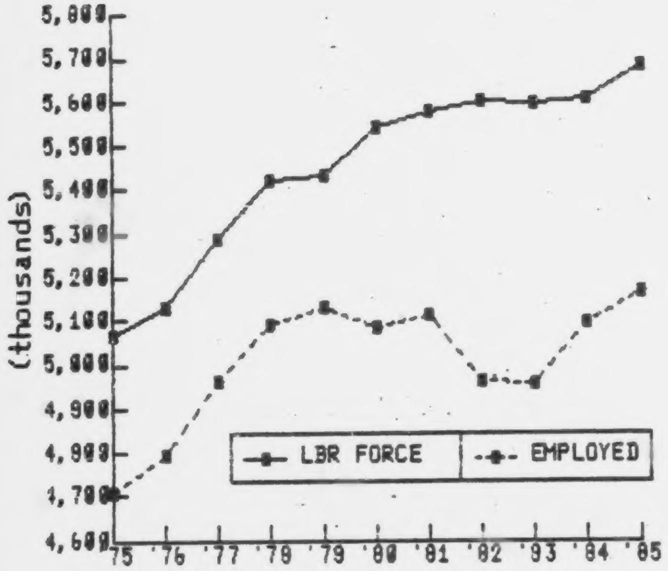
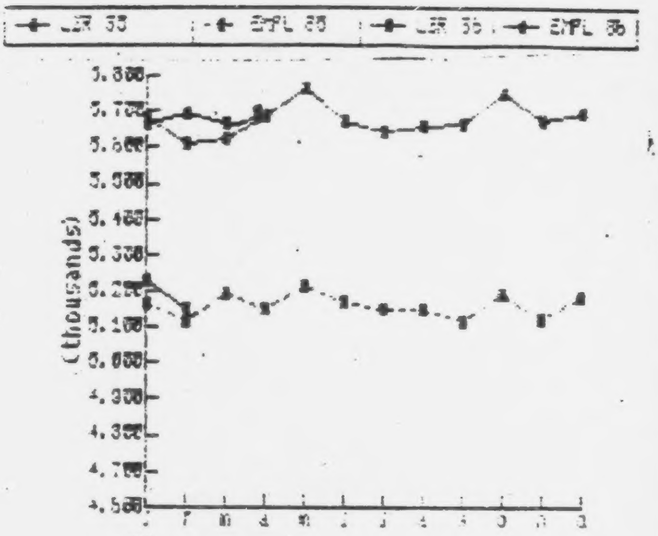
*Construction generally begins about 6 months later. r - revised

***Dodge Forecast (March, 1986). **Figure under Illinois is actually for North Central (OCTOBER).

SOURCE: Dodge Division. McGraw-Hill Information System Co.

LABOR FORCE, EMPLOYED AND UNEMPLOYED





ANNUAL
(thousands)

MONTH*
(thousands)
1986

	ILLINOIS			Insured Unemployed			ILLINOIS			Insured Unemployed	
Year	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Numb.	Percent**	Month	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Numb.	Per**
1970	4,710	4,538	171	NA	NA	Jan	5666	5228	438	170.9	3.8
1971	4,735	4,494	242	96.5	3.0	Feb	5694	5151	543	179.3	4.0
1972	4,855	4,609	246	87.3	2.8	Mar	5667	5165	502	171.5	3.8
1973	4,909	4,705	203	68.4	1.9	Apr	5683	5217	466	152.9	3.4
1974	4,989	4,777	212	90.0	2.3	May					
1975	5,068	4,708	360	216.8	5.6	June					
1976	5,132	4,797	336	197.9	5.3	July					
1977	5,289	4,964	325	172.3	4.6	Aug					
1978	5,420	5,092	329	149.7	3.7	Sep					
1979	5,429	5,130	298	141.0	3.1	Oct					
1980	5,539	5,085	458	212.7	4.6	Nov					
1981	5,578	5,111	475	196.8	4.4	Dec					
1982	5,597	4,963	634	252.5	5.5						
1983	5,594	4,954	640	217.8	5.0						
1984	5,604	5,093	511	140.1	3.2						
1985	5,677	5,163	514	146.1	3.3						

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*Data are seasonally adjusted except for insured unemployed.

**Insured unemployment as percent of average covered employment.

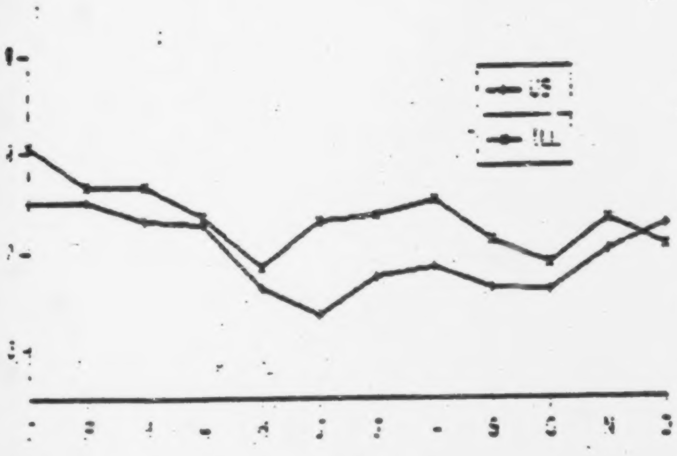
p - preliminary

E - Estimate prepared by the Illinois Dept. of Employment Security.

SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

UNEMPLOYED PERSONS BY REASON AND DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT

Job Losers as Percent
of Unemployed



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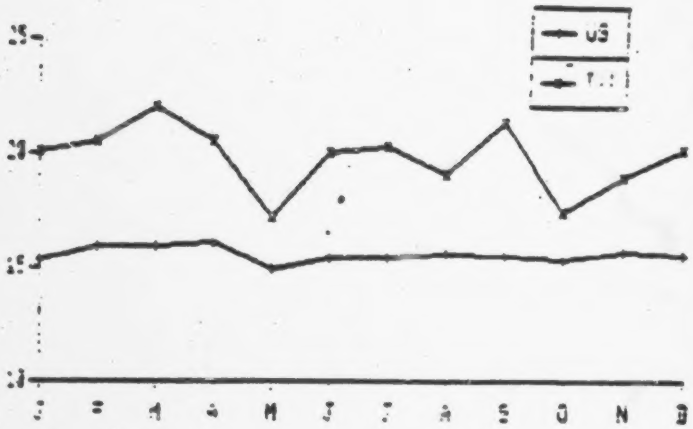
(in weeks)

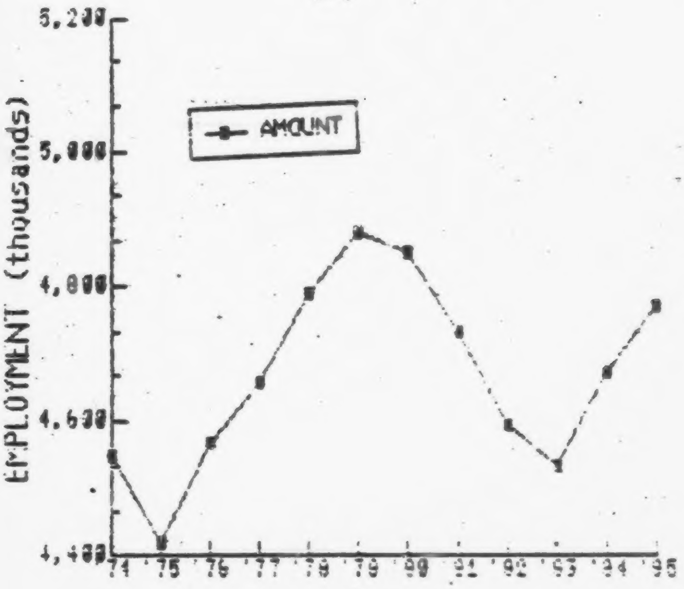


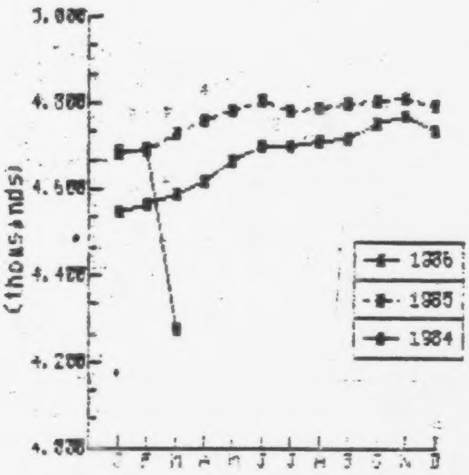
- 1986*-

	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
Job Losers as Percentage of Unemployed												
ILL	53.3r	52.2r	57.2	57.3								
U.S.	52.5	53.3	53.7	50.5								
Mean Duration (in weeks)												
ILL	20.5	17.5	18.7									
U.S.	14.9r	15.3	15.3	15.8								
ILLINOIS Number of Unemployed(000's)												
Job Losers	258.9	297.8	294.2	265.4								
Job Leavers	40.0	49.8	31.1	46.0								
Reentrants	114.5	145.3	117.5	126.0								
New Entrants	72.7	77.1	71.3	71.8								
TOTAL	486.1	570.0	514.1	509.2								
Duration(000's)												
Less than 15 Weeks	320.6	398.5	319.9									
15 Weeks and Over	165.4	171.5	194.1									

r - revised *Not seasonally adjusted
SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

ILLINOIS TOTAL NON-AGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT





ANNUAL
(thousands)

Year	Amount	Percent Change	
		ILL.	U.S.
1971	4,296	-1.1	0.5
1972	4,315	0.4	3.5
1973	4,470	3.6	4.2
1974	4,546	1.7	1.9
1975	4,419	-2.8	-1.7
1976	4,566	3.3	3.2
1977	4,656	2.0	3.9
1978	4,789	2.9	5.1
1979	4,880	2.0	3.6
1980	4,850	-0.3	0.8
1981	4,732	-2.3	1.8
1982	4,593	-2.9	-1.7
1983	4,531	-1.4	0.6
1984	4,672	3.1	4.7
1985	4,769	2.1	3.4

MONTH*
(thousands)

Month	1984	1985	1986	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago	
				Ill.	U.S.
Jan	4,544	4,687	4,685	—	
Feb	4,564	4,688	4,693	0.1	
Mar	4,588	4,728	4,275	-9.6	
Apr	4,620	4,759			
May	4,667	4,781			
June	4,698	4,805			
July	4,702	4,784			
Aug	4,709	4,791			
Sept	4,719	4,799			
Oct	4,754	4,808			
Nov	4,771	4,809			
Dec	4,733	4,794			

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r - New March, 1985 benchmark revisions.
NOTE: Beginning in 1974, data are based on the 1972 Standard Industrial Classification Manual.
*Data not seasonally adjusted.
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

NON-AGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY*
ILLINOIS
(thousands)

			1986*											
	1984	1985	Jan	Feb	Mar^p	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Mining	27	29	26	25	26									
Construction	155	181	152	147	157									
Manufacturing	997	981	963	965	967									
Transp., & Publ Util.	278	277	273	272	271									
Wholesale, & Ret. Trade	1148	1168	1163	1152	1157									
Fin., Ins., & Real Est.	322	338	337	337	338									
Services	1058	1100	1093	1100	1110									
Government	688	693	679	694	699									
TOTAL	4672	4767	4686	4692	4725									

CHICAGO AREA**
(thousands)

			1986*											
	1983	1984	Jan	Feb	Mar^p	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Mining	2	3	2	2	2									
Construction	108	124	106	103	109									
Manufacturing	691	680	666	667	667									
Transp., & Pub. Util.	192	201	201	200	201									
Wholesale & Retail Trade	775	827	831	822	826									
Fin., Ins., & Real Est.	247	258	261	261	262									
Services	776	826	823	826	832									
Government	398	412	415	420	422									
TOTAL	3189	3331	3206	3301	3321									

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*Data are not seasonally adjusted. **Effective with the Jan; 1985 Bi-Meds, the Chicago Area is redefined from an SMSA to the PMSA's of Chicago, Lake, Aurora and Joliet. March, 1985 benchmark date for annual averages and monthly statistics.
p - preliminary, r - revised. Totals may not add to sum of industries due to rounding.
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY IN MSA'S*
March, 1985 AND 1986

(thousands)

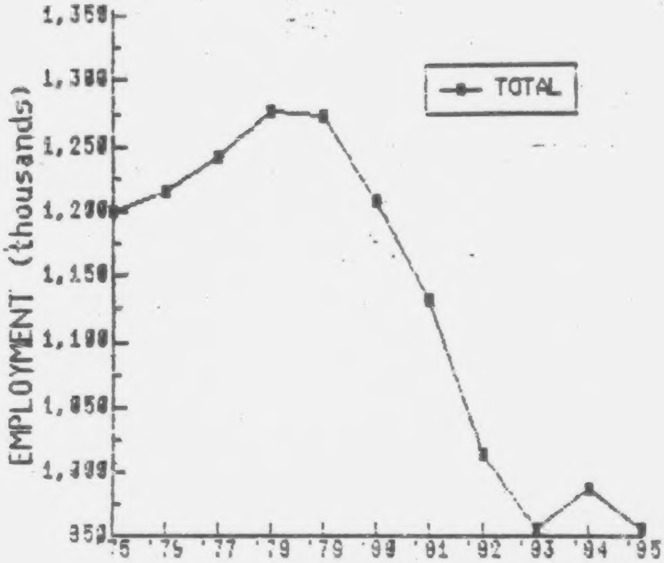
Industry	Bloomington/ Normal		Champaign/ Urbana/Rantoul		Davenport/ Rock Island/ Moline		Decatur		Kankakee		Peoria		Rockford		Springfield	
	1986	1985	1986	1985	1986	1985	1986	1985	1986	1985	1986	1985	1986	1985	1986	1985
Construction	0.9	0.9	1.8	1.8	4.2	4.2	1.6	1.5	1.0	1.0	4.8	4.7	2.8	2.9	2.0	2.1
Manufacturing	4.4	4.5	7.5	7.0	32.6	32.4	14.9	14.9	5.1	5.1	31.4	32.7	44.9	45.3	3.8	4.8
Durable goods	2.4	2.8	2.3	1.9	24.0	24.2	8.0	7.8	2.2	2.0	25.6	27.0	38.8	39.5	1.7	2.7
Nondurable goods	2.0	1.7	5.2	5.1	8.6	8.2	6.9	7.1	2.9	3.1	5.8	5.7	6.1	5.8	2.1	2.1
Trans & Public Utilities	3.2	3.3	2.3	2.2	7.9	8.0	4.3	4.3	1.4	1.3	6.5	6.6	4.5	4.7	4.7	4.5
Wholesale Trade	2.3	2.3	4.1	4.0	10.2	10.2	1.5	1.5	2.1	2.2	7.0	6.8	6.3	6.3	3.6	3.5
Retail Trade	10.4	10.3	15.1	15.0	30.5	29.9	9.1	9.1	5.9	5.9	25.6	25.4	20.6	20.4	14.9	14.9
Finance, Ins. & Real Estate	8.7	8.6	2.5	2.6	7.2	7.3	2.6	2.8	1.6	1.6	6.8	6.8	4.8	4.7	7.8	7.7
Services	10.4	10.4	12.9	13.0	28.3	27.9	9.8	9.5	8.0	7.7	30.5	30.4	22.5	22.5	22.2	21.4
Government	11.8	11.6	33.6	32.4	27.0	27.2	5.4	5.3	6.4	6.9	15.8	15.7	11.9	11.8	31.0	30.7
Total Non-agricultural employment	52.1	51.9	79.8	78.0	147.9	147.1	49.4	49.0	31.5	31.7	128.4	129.2	118.3	118.6	90.1	89.8

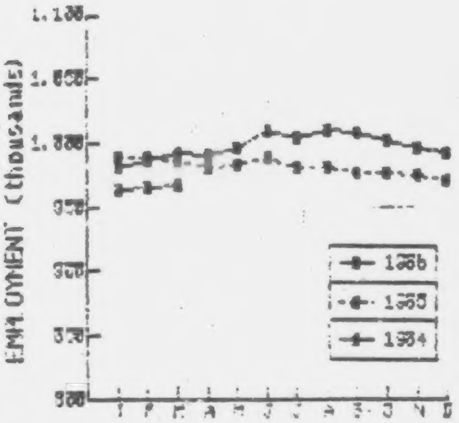
Data are not seasonally adjusted.

*Excludes Chicago, St. Louis, Aurora-Elgin, Joliet and Lake County. March, 1985 benchmark date.

SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

ILLINOIS MANUFACTURING EMPLOYMENT





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(thousands)

Year	Manufacturing Employment Durable	Non-Durable	Total	Total Percent Change Ill.	U.S.
1975	789	411	1,200	-10.8	-8.8
1976	796	419	1,215	1.3	3.7
1977	822	419	1,241	2.1	3.6
1978	847	429	1,276	2.8	4.2
1979	846	425	1,272	-0.3	2.6
1980	804	404	1,208	-5.0	-3.5
1981	751	381	1,131	-6.1	-0.6
1982	643	370	1,013	-10.4	-6.6
1983	584	372	956	-6.1	-0.9
1984	623	374	997	4.3	5.3
1985	605	377	982	-1.5	

MONTH*
(thousands)

Month	1985ʳ	1986	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago Ill.	U.S.
Jan	989	963	-2.6	-1.7
Feb	988	965	-2.3	-1.5
Mar	987	967	-2.0	-0.7
Apr	981			-0.6
May	982			
June	988			
July	980			
Aug	980			
Sept	977			
Oct	977			
Nov	974			
Dec	971			

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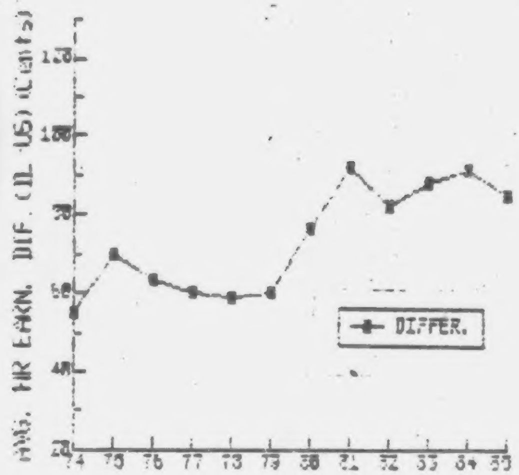
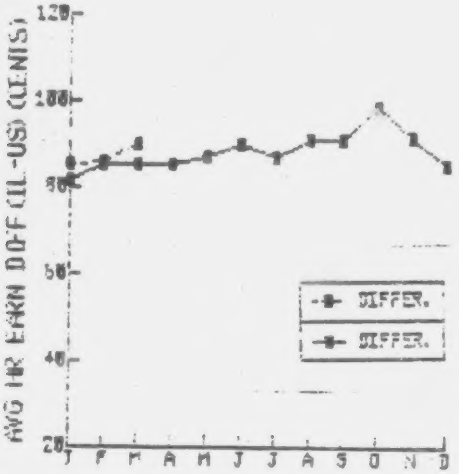
p - preliminary r - New March, 1985 Benchmark revisions.
NOTE: Beginning in 1974, data are based on 1972 Standard Industrial Classification Manual.
*Data are not seasonally adjusted.
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

ILLINOIS
HOURS AND EARNINGS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS IN MANUFACTURING





Year	Average Weekly Hours	ANNUAL Average Weekly Wage	Average Hourly Earnings Ill.	Average Hourly Earnings U.S.
1970	40.3	147.03	3.65	3.36
1971	40.1	157.57	3.93	3.56
1972	41.0	175.55	4.28	3.82
1973	41.2	187.85	4.57	4.09
1974	40.4	200.69	4.97	4.42
1975	39.7	219.13	5.53	4.83
1976	40.4	236.11	5.85	5.22
1977	40.6	254.91	6.28	5.68
1978	40.1	271.42	6.76	6.17
1979	40.7	296.66	7.30	6.70
1980	39.8	320.15	8.04	7.28
1981	40.0	356.33	8.91	7.99
1982	39.2	364.86	9.32	8.50
1983	40.6	393.59	9.70	8.82
1984	41.0	412.98	10.08	9.17
1985	40.6	421.13	10.37	9.52
1986				9.90*
1987				10.51**

1986 Month	Average Weekly Hours	MONTH* Average[r] Weekly Wage	Average Hourly Earnings Ill.	Average Hourly Earnings U.S.
Jan	40.7	$428.57	$10.53	$9.68
Feb	40.1	422.65	10.54	9.68
Mar	40.6	430.36	10.60	9.70
Apr				9.70
May				
June				
July				
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Dec				

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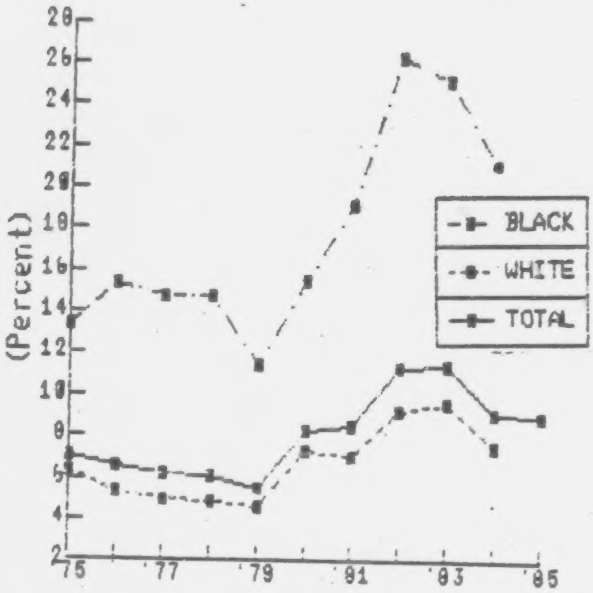
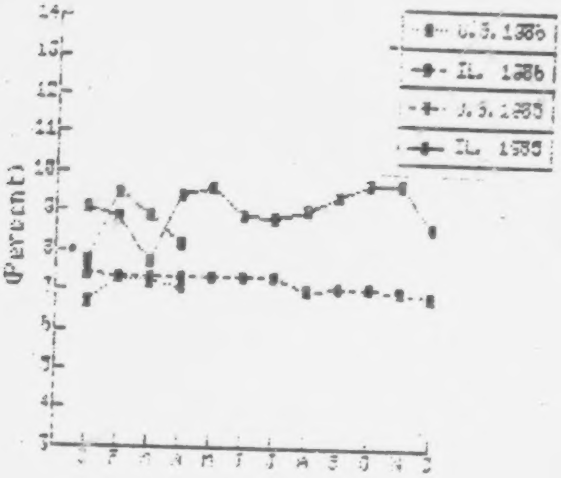
*Data are not seasonally adjusted.

**Chase Econometrics Forecast.

SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security. March, 1984 Benchmark for 1984 annual data; March, 1985 Benchmark for 1985 annual and 1986 monthly data.

ILLINOIS UNEMPLOYMENT RATE




TOTAL
(Seasonally Adjusted)

YEAR
PERCENT

	ILLINOIS			U.S.		
Annual	Total	White	Black	Total	White	Black
1970	3.6	3.4	5.9	5.0	4.5	8.2
1971	5.1	4.5	10.2	5.9	5.4	9.9
1972	5.1	4.4	11.0	5.6	5.0	10.0
1973	4.1	3.4	9.6	4.8	4.3	8.9
1974	4.2	NA	NA	5.6	5.0	9.9
1975	7.1	6.3	13.4	8.5	7.8	13.9
1976	6.5	5.3	15.4	7.7	7.0	13.1
1977	6.2	5.0	14.8	7.1	6.2	13.1
1978	6.1	4.8	14.8	6.1	5.2	11.9
1979	5.5	4.6	11.4	5.8	5.1	11.3
1980	8.3	7.3	15.5	7.1	6.3	13.1
1981	8.5	7.1	19.1	7.6	6.7	15.6
1982	11.3	9.2	26.2	9.7	8.6	18.9
1983	11.4	9.6	25.1	9.6	8.4	19.5
1984	9.1	7.5	21.1	7.5	6.5	15.9
1985	9.0			7.2		
1986				6.9, 6.9**		
1987				6.3, 6.5**		

MONTH
TOTAL

	ILLINOIS		U.S.	
Month	1986*	Seasonally Adjusted 1986	1986*	Seasonally Adjusted 1986
Jan	8.6	7.7	7.3	6.7
Feb	10.1	9.5	7.8	7.3
Mar	9.1	8.9	7.5	7.2
Apr	8.2	8.2	7.0	7.1
May				
June				
July				
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Sept				
Oct				
Nov				
Dec				

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*Data not seasonally adjusted.

**Chase Econometrics Forecast (APRIL), Data Resources Forecast (MAY).

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Labor.

ILLINOIS UNEMPLOYMENT RATE* IN MSA's**

	Average Annual	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov^{r}	Dec^{r}
BLOOMINGTON-NORMAL: MSA													
1982	7.9	6.8	7.3	8.2	8.0	7.0	8.3	7.6	8.4	8.2	8.1	8.4	8.7
1983	7.8	9.4	9.7	8.6	8.1	8.1	8.5	8.1	7.8	6.2	6.2	6.1	7.3
1984	6.7	7.9	7.3	8.1	6.9	6.4	6.5	6.3	6.4	5.7	6.1	6.2	6.4
1985	6.3^{p}	7.4	7.1	5.9	6.8	6.5	6.3	5.8	5.7	5.3	5.6	6.6	6.1
1986		6.4	7.5	7.0									
CHAMPAIGN-URBANA-RANTOUL: MSA													
1982	5.7	5.2	5.0	5.1	4.9	5.3	5.8	6.3	6.2	5.8	5.7	6.2	6.4
1983	6.5	7.4	7.3	6.7	6.7	6.8	7.5	6.9	7.1	5.3	5.3	5.6	6.0
1984	6.0	7.3	6.7	7.1	6.2	6.0	5.9	5.6	5.7	5.3	5.2	5.5	5.4
1985	5.6^{p}	6.4	6.0	4.9	5.5	6.1	5.8	5.8	5.3	4.9	5.0	5.7	5.2
1986		5.4	5.9	5.4									
CHICAGO AREA:													
1982	10.6	9.4	9.4	9.6	9.6	10.1	11.1	11.5	10.8	11.4	11.1	11.5	11.2
1983	10.5	12.1	12.5	11.4	10.9	10.9	11.8	10.8	10.5	9.2	8.7	8.5	8.5
1984	8.3	9.4	8.8	9.4	8.6	8.1	8.3	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.3	7.4	7.6
1985	7.7^{p}	8.2	8.0	7.0	8.1	8.1	8.0	7.6	7.3	7.4	7.6	7.5	7.0
1986		7.3	8.6										
DAVENPORT-ROCK ISLAND-MOLINE: MSA (Illinois portion)													
1982	15.8	16.4	11.5	12.2	13.7	12.4	15.2	16.8	15.9	19.8	19.6	20.7	20.7
1983	16.9	21.8	19.9	17.6	17.2	17.1	18.5	16.9	16.0	14.5	14.2	14.5	14.0
1984	14.0	16.6	15.3	12.8	13.6	12.3	12.0	12.0	11.4	13.0	13.6	15.7	17.4
1985	12.8^{p}	18.8	14.8	11.5	12.4	12.0	11.8	11.2	13.3	12.0	12.4	12.3	11.4
1986		13.5	15.3	12.7									
DECATUR: MSA													
1982	15.6	12.3	12.3	12.9	11.8	17.7	15.4	16.1	19.2	16.2	16.5	18.3	17.7
1983	14.9	18.7	19.0	16.5	16.3	16.6	16.5	15.2	13.8	12.1	11.3	11.4	11.3
1984	10.3	12.9	12.0	12.6	10.4	9.6	9.4	10.2	9.3	9.6	9.4	9.2	9.1
1985	10.8^{p}	10.9	10.8	9.7	11.1	11.2	10.9	10.6	10.9	10.9	11.1	11.3	10.5
1986		10.8	12.7	11.5									
PEORIA: MSA													
1982	13.9	9.8	10.7	10.7	11.4	11.9	16.1	16.2	14.9	16.1	16.8	18.3	17.5
1983	16.0	18.4	19.3	17.5	16.4	16.1	18.4	16.6	15.9	14.2	13.3	12.9	12.7
1984	11.3	14.5	13.4	13.7	12.4	11.2	11.0	10.6	10.1	9.7	10.1	9.3	9.7
1985	11.1^{p}	12.1	11.5	10.3	11.8	11.6	11.4	11.2	10.7	10.5	11.0	10.8	9.8
1986		10.1	11.6	10.5									
ROCKFORD: MSA													
1982	16.5	11.9	15.3	12.3	15.1	18.8	19.3	19.3	18.5	16.0	20.6	21.3	17.5
1983	14.2	20.0	17.1	16.2	15.2	14.3	15.2	13.7	12.8	11.1	10.8	13.6	10.3
1984	9.4	11.4	10.8	11.1	10.0	9.0	8.9	8.6	8.5	8.9	9.0	8.3	8.7
1985	9.8^{p}	10.0	9.9	8.7	10.2	10.0	10.0	9.7	9.1	9.8	10.6	10.1	9.0
1986		9.5	10.8	10.0									
SPRINGFIELD: MSA													
1982	7.7	8.3	7.7	7.1	6.5	6.7	7.4	7.4	6.7	7.8	7.9	9.4	9.8
1983	8.3	9.7	10.3	9.8	9.0	8.8	9.2	8.1	7.9	6.7	6.6	6.6	7.4
1984	7.0	8.3	7.7	8.3	7.5	6.7	6.8	6.6	6.2	6.3	6.8	6.0	6.6
1985	6.7^{p}	7.8	7.3	6.0	6.5	6.5	6.6	6.6	6.1	6.4	6.7	7.4	6.8
1986		6.8	8.0	6.9									
ST. LOUIS: MSA (Illinois portion)													
1982	12.2	11.1	11.7	11.3	10.8	10.9	12.2	12.8	11.7	12.9	12.4	13.2	13.5
1983	12.4	14.7	14.8	13.0	12.2	12.4	14.0	13.0	12.6	11.2	10.4	10.4	10.5
1984	10.6	12.8	12.1	12.6	11.2	10.3	10.1	10.0	10.2	9.8	10.2	8.8	9.5
1985	10.2^{p}	11.6	11.3	9.2	10.4	10.6	11.2	10.0	9.6	9.4	9.8	10.4	9.3
1986		9.8	11.9	10.2									

NOTE: For Kankakee and Lake County PMSA data see county. *Data not seasonally adjusted.
SOURCE: Illinois Dept. of Employment Security. p - preliminary / r - revised
**Data for years prior to 1985 are for standard metropolitan statistical areas. Chicago Area from 1985 is defined as an average of rates for the PMSA's of Chicago, Lake, Aurora and Joliet.

ILLINOIS
AVERAGE UNEMPLOYMENT RATE

			1986											
COUNTY	1984	1985	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Adams	11.0	11.4	10.6	13.6	11.1									
Alexander	25.7	24.7	23.7	28.2	25.5									
Bond	11.9	12.1	12.4	16.2	13.3									
Boone	7.9	9.9	9.6	10.8	10.5									
Brown	9.6	9.6	9.3	10.7	10.1									
Bureau	9.8	10.0	10.6	13.1	11.6									
Calhoun	21.5	21.1	28.3	34.1	29.1									
Carroll	8.1	12.8	11.0	13.1	11.6									
Cass	9.8	7.6	11.0	12.7	11.2									
Champaign	6.0	5.5	5.4	5.9	5.4									
Christian	10.9	9.7	9.8	11.1	9.5									
Clark	15.9	14.9	15.3	18.8	16.8									
Clay	15.2	14.9	14.6	18.9	18.0									
Clinton	10.9	10.9	10.8	14.1	11.7									
Coles	8.2	9.2	8.7	10.7	9.0									
Cook	8.6	8.6	8.8	8.4	7.3									
Crawford	13.5	16.3	7.8	9.0	8.3									
Cumberland	13.3	12.0	17.6	19.2	16.5									
DeKalb	6.7	7.2	7.3	8.8	7.5									
DeWitt	10.0	11.2	11.7	13.8	13.7									
Douglas	7.8	8.9	9.3	11.5	9.6									
DuPage	6.2	5.8	5.6	6.6	6.1									
Edgar	15.7	15.7	14.7	17.0	14.6									
Edwards	11.1	11.8	10.7	15.8	14.7									
Effingham	10.7	10.9	12.9	14.7	12.9									
Fayette	16.4	14.5	15.8	18.9	17.8									
Ford	9.8	7.8	9.4	11.6	10.6									
Franklin	16.6	15.7	14.0	17.2	15.2									
Fulton	14.9	13.0	12.9	14.6	13.2									
Gallatin	19.4	16.7	18.0	21.2	20.3									
Greene	10.8	10.0	11.0	13.8	11.6									
Grundy	9.8	10.2	10.6	12.7	11.6									
Hamilton	18.9	19.5	17.3	23.0	21.0									
Hancock	10.2	10.0	12.2	14.9	12.4									
Hardin	18.0	16.6	17.6	21.1	17.1									
Henderson	12.2	12.3	13.0	14.9	13.5									
Henry	12.9	12.5	15.6	17.4	14.0									
Iroquois	8.9	8.8	10.7	12.4	11.2									
Jackson	8.7	8.8	9.2	10.4	9.2									
Jasper	12.5	12.8	12.2	14.4	12.9									
Jefferson	13.6	14.2	14.2	16.8	15.5									
Jersey	12.8	12.5	12.0	14.7	12.9									
Jo Daviess	8.8	9.7	12.1	13.5	12.1									
Johnson	17.7	14.4	14.3	17.4	14.6									
Kane	7.9	8.0	7.9	9.7	9.0									
Kankakee	12.2	11.6	11.9	13.5	11.8									
Kendall	6.6	7.4	6.9	8.8	8.1									
Knox	13.1	15.8	15.5	18.2	16.8									
Lake	6.1	6.0	5.8	6.7	6.0									
LaSalle	12.7	13.4	13.1	15.1	13.6									
Lawrence	12.6	17.3	20.9	25.0	21.9									
Lee	11.3	10.1	10.6	12.3	11.9									

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ILLINOIS
AVERAGE UNEMPLOYMENT RATE

			1986											
COUNTY	1984	1985	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Livingston	8.8	11.5	9.3	11.3	9.8									
Logan	9.6	7.4	9.5	11.7	9.3									
Macon	10.3	10.8	10.8	12.7	11.5									
Macoupin	10.8	11.0	11.8	14.6	12.8									
Madison	10.9	10.5	10.0	11.9	10.3									
Marion	13.2	13.7	14.4	17.4	16.7									
Marshall	9.8	10.0	9.5	10.5	10.0									
Mason	10.7	11.1	11.8	13.9	12.5									
Massac	15.2	14.6	13.9	15.8	14.4									
McDonough	11.1	10.2	8.8	9.6	9.0									
McHenry	7.3	8.0	8.8	10.3	9.0									
McLean	6.7	6.3	6.4	7.5	7.0									
Menard	6.0	6.9	9.0	9.9	7.6									
Mercer	14.1	12.4	14.8	16.9	15.0									
Monroe	9.4	8.7	9.0	12.1	9.1									
Montgomery	14.7	14.2	14.1	16.9	14.9									
Morgan	8.5	8.3	9.3	11.0	10.1									
Moultrie	8.6	7.8	8.2	10.7	9.5									
Ogle	9.4	9.9	11.1	14.1	13.1									
Peoria	11.3	11.1	10.0	11.6	10.6									
Perry	14.9	14.4	17.2	19.3	17.0									
Piatt	8.9	8.1	10.7	12.8	12.0									
Pike	13.9	12.7	12.7	14.7	12.7									
Pope	17.2	16.4	17.1	20.5	17.3									
Pulaski	22.0	22.9	21.9	25.1	22.4									
Putnam	11.0	11.9	14.5	16.7	14.6									
Randolph	10.5	9.3	9.4	11.3	10.2									
Richland	15.1	17.8	17.5	24.7	19.0									
Rock Isld	14.4	13.0	12.8	14.6	12.3									
St. Clair	10.2	9.8	9.3	11.5	9.7									
Saline	15.9	15.0	15.6	18.5	16.6									
Sangamon	7.1	6.7	6.6	7.8	6.9									
Schuyler	12.3	10.1	12.2	13.5	12.3									
Scott	9.5	10.1	13.2	16.2	12.6									
Shelby	12.8	11.5	12.5	14.7	12.7									
Stark	9.5	9.5	10.0	12.2	10.6									
Stephenson	7.6	9.8	10.0	11.0	9.3									
Tazewell	11.9	11.5	10.6	12.1	10.9									
Union	16.7	14.8	17.0	21.6	18.4									
Vermilion	13.0	14.0	13.4	15.7	15.1									
Wabash	10.4	12.2	10.2	13.3	13.5									
Warren	11.1	11.2	11.4	13.3	11.7									
Washington	12.1	10.1	10.2	12.9	11.4									
Wayne	16.4	16.9	16.1	20.4	19.1									
White	17.2	16.7	17.4	21.6	21.0									
Whiteside	12.2	12.7	11.7	12.5	10.8									
Will	8.6	8.3	7.8	9.1	8.1									
Williamson	17.4	17.7	17.0	19.9	18.1									
Winnebago	9.6	9.8	9.4	10.7	10.0									
Woodford	8.9	9.1	8.4	10.2	8.7									

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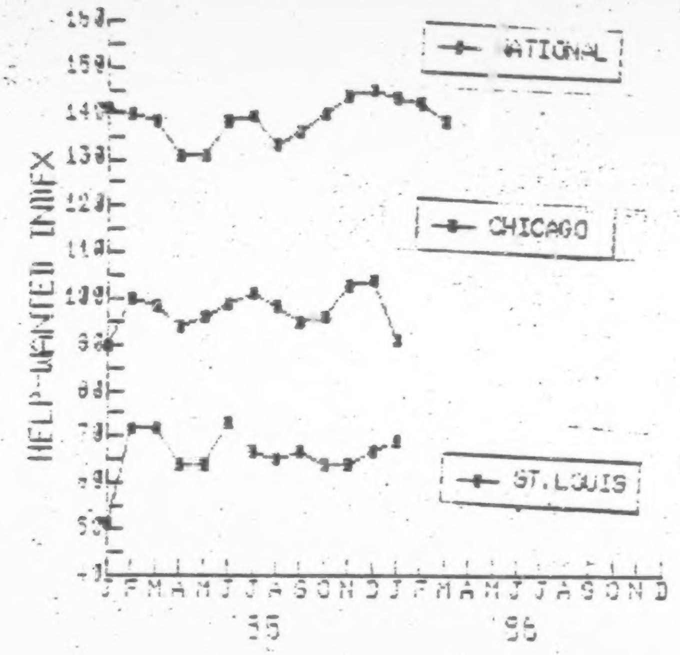
HELP-WANTED ADVERTISING INDEXES



HELP-WANTED ADVERTISING INDEXES* -
(Seasonally Adjusted, 1967=100)

Area		J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
National Index (51 Papers)	1985	141	140	138	131	131	138	139	133	136	140	144	145
	1986	143	142	138									
East North Central (10 Papers)	1985	83	88	88	83	85	90	90r	86	85	86	93	96
	1986	90	92										
Chicago	1985	90	100	98	94	96	99	101	98	95	96	103	104
	1986	91	93										
St. Louis**	1985	51	72r	72r	64	64	73	67	65	67	64	64	67
	1986	69	70										

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*The monthly classified help-wanted advertising total for one newspaper in each of 51 cities is used as the basis for city indexes and the national index is a composite of all 51 city indexes.

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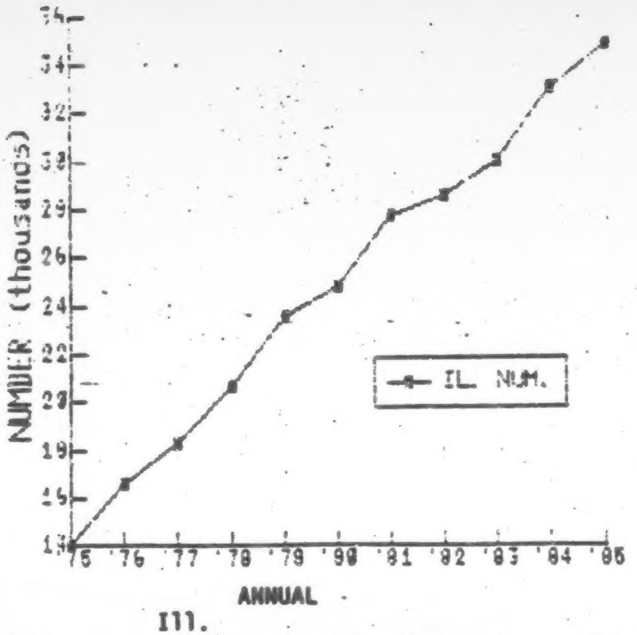
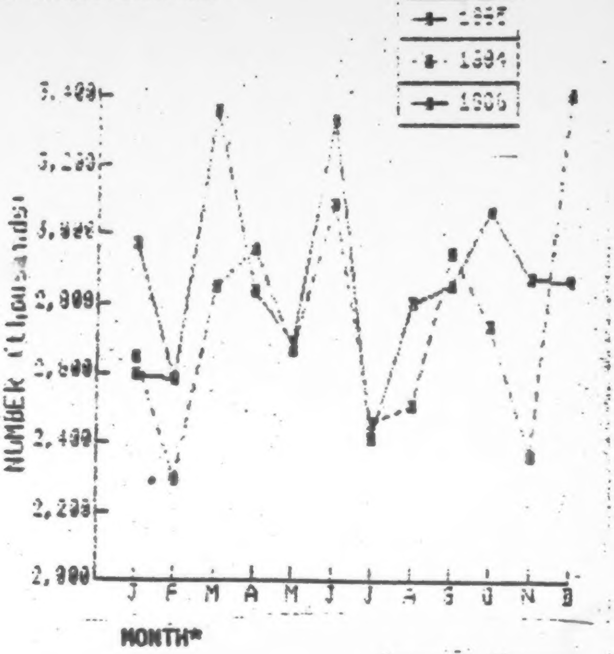
**St. Louis is in the West North Central region.
SOURCE: The Conference Board.

ILLINOIS NEW BUSINESS INCORPORATIONS





Year	Ill. Number	Percent Change ILL.	Percent Change U.S.
1970	8,585	1.5	-3.6
1971	10,116	17.8	9.1
1972	12,106	19.7	10.1
1973	12,376	2.2	3.8
1974	11,720	-5.3	-3.0
1975	14,022	19.6	2.2
1976	16,573	18.2	15.3
1977	18,291	10.4	16.1
1978	20,638	12.8	9.6
1979	23,559	14.2	9.7
1980	24,804	5.3	1.7
1981	27,632	11.4	9.0
1982	28,469	3.0	-2.5
1983	29,952	5.2	5.9
1984	32,948	10.0	5.8
1985	34,691	5.3	5.3

Month	1984	1985	1986	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago ILL.	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago U.S.
Jan	2,649	2,977	2,598	-12.7	9.4
Feb	2,295	2,584	2,584	6.7	11.5
Mar	2,251	3,358			
Apr	2,961	2,837			
May	2,667	2,688			
June	3,087	3,336			
July	2,459	2,415			
Aug	2,507	2,807			
Sept	2,951	2,858			
Oct	2,740	3,078			
Nov	2,366	2,879			
Dec	3,415	2,874			

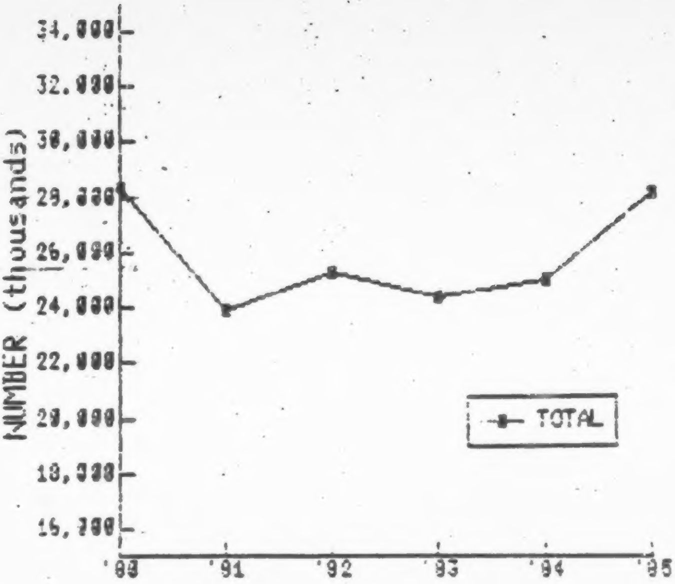
*Data are not seasonally adjusted.

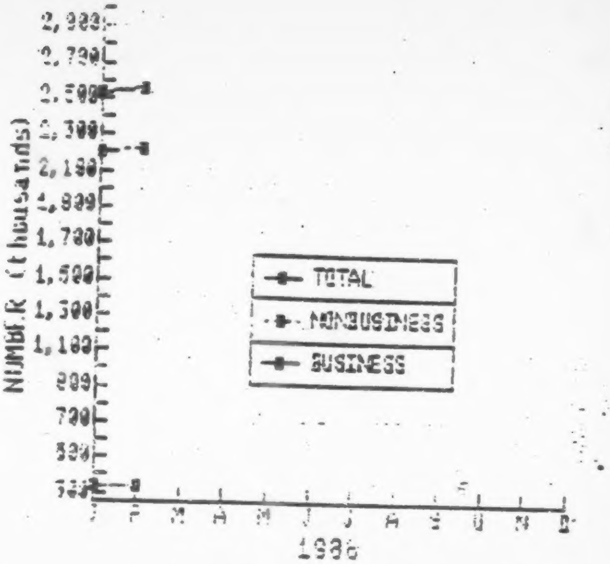
REGIONAL COMPOSITION
Percent of Total

Region	1979	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985
New England	4.5	4.8	4.7	4.8	5.0	5.7
Middle Atlantic	17.2	16.5	16.8	17.5	17.7	18.0
E. North Central	13.3	13.0	13.2	13.1	13.3	13.5
W. North Central	6.2	5.5	5.2	5.4	5.2	4.8
South Atlantic	21.9	22.8	23.2	24.1	24.8	25.2
E. South Central	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.9
W. South Central	11.6	11.9	13.1	11.5	9.9	9.6
Mountain	6.9	7.5	7.1	7.2	7.3	6.9
Pacific	14.6	14.2	13.0	12.6	13.0	12.4
U.S.	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

SOURCE: Dun & Bradstreet, Inc.

BANKRUPTCY FILINGS BY DISTRICT AND TYPE





Annual	Business Filings No.	Business Filings Cen.	Business Filings So.	Nonbusiness Filings No.	Nonbusiness Filings Cen.	Nonbusiness Filings So.	Total Filings
1980	2377	821	343	17,513	5175	2115	28,344
1981	1698	693	263	15,567	3826	1909	23,956
1982	2232	879	389	16,435	4067	1313	25,315
1983	2199	917	438	15,623	4023	1203	24,403
1984	2012	1099	534	15,994	4154	1194	24,987
1985	2031	1422	549	17,883	4765	1465	28,115

1985 Month	Business	Nonbusiness	Total
Jan	333	2199	2532
Feb	341	2220	2561
Mar			
Apr			
May			
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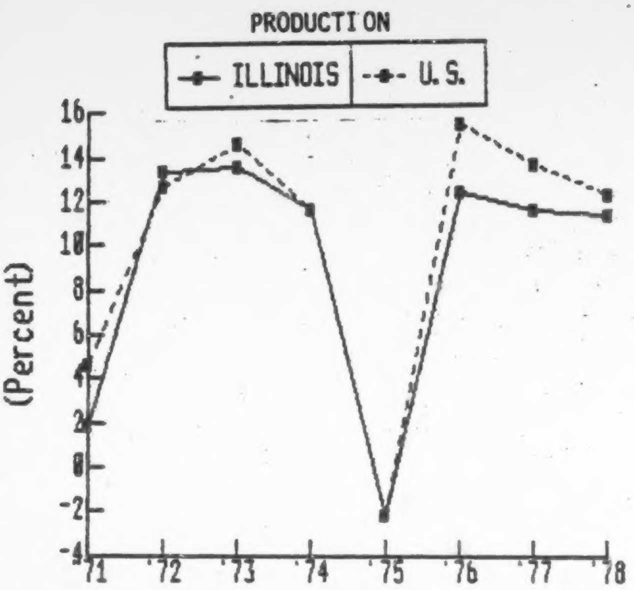
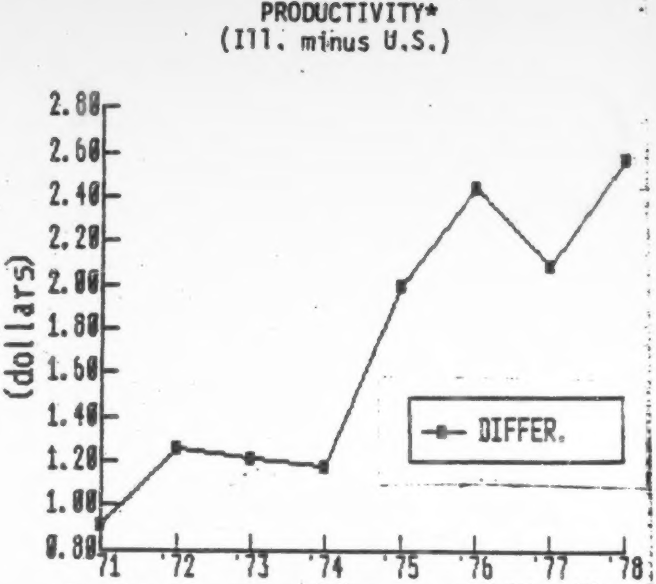
SOURCE: U.S. District Courts

ILLINOIS
MANUFACTURING PRODUCTION AND PRODUCTIVITY





Year	PRODUCTION VALUE ADDED (million)	PRODUCTION PERCENT CHANGE Ill.	PRODUCTION PERCENT CHANGE U.S.	Inventories Ill. End of Year (million)	PRODUCTIVITY* Ill.	PRODUCTIVITY* U.S.	U.S. MANUFACTURING Industrial Production Index (1977=100)	U.S. MANUFACTURING Capacity Utilization Rate[r] (Percent)
1970	$22,379	--	--	$7,215	$12.14	$11.26	77.0	79.2
1971	22,790	1.8	4.6	7,388	13.34	12.43	78.2	77.4
1972	25,849	13.4	12.7	7,854	14.52	13.26	86.4	82.8
1973	29,357	13.6	14.6	NA	15.65	14.44	94.0	87.0
1974	32,800	11.7	11.6	11,599	17.79	16.61	92.6	82.6
1975	32,089	-2.2	-2.2	11,198	20.38	18.38	83.4	72.3
1976	36,085	12.5	15.6	11,952	22.62	20.17	91.9	77.4
1977	40,279	11.6	13.7	13,028	24.02	21.93	100.0	81.4
1978	44,854	11.4	12.4	13,949	26.31	23.75	107.1	84.2
1979	NA	NA	13.7	NA	NA	26.39	111.5	84.6
1980	NA	NA	3.5	NA	NA	28.93	108.2	79.3
1981	NA	NA	8.2	19,046	NA	31.93	110.5	78.3
1982	47,705	NA	-1.6	17,394	37.97	35.01	102.2	70.3
1983	49,734	4.2	7.0	17,207	40.59	37.38	110.2	74.0
1984							123.9	80.8
1985								
1986								

—U.S. MANUFACTURING— (SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)

MONTHLY DATA	Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Industrial Prod. Index	'84	119.6	121.0	122.0	122.8	123.2	124.1	125.4	125.9	125.6	125.5	126.0	125.8
	'85	121.2	125.2	126.4	125.9	126.6	127.1	126.8	127.0	127.9	127.5	128.1	129.3
	'86	129.7	128.9	128.3									
Capacity Utilization Rate (%)	'84[r]	79.2	80.0	80.4	80.7	80.7	81.1	81.7	81.8	81.3	81.1	81.2	80.9
	'85	80.7	80.4	80.5	80.5	80.3	80.1	80.1	80.7	80.4	79.6	80.1	80.5
	'86	80.7	80.0	79.2	79.4								

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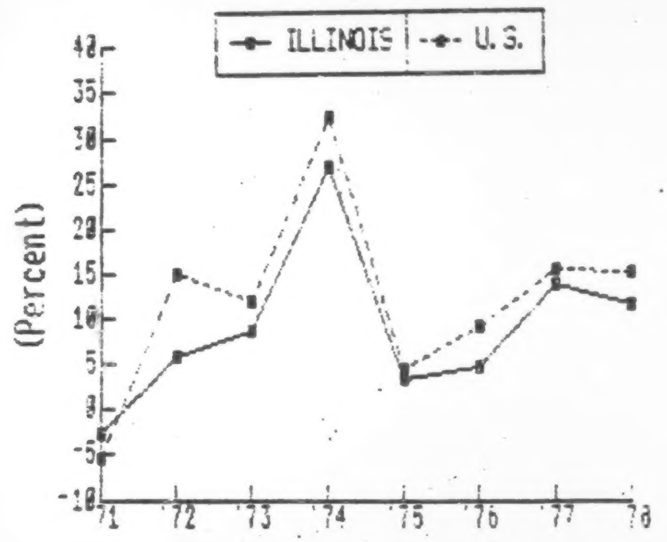
*Value of Production (Value Added) per manhour of work.

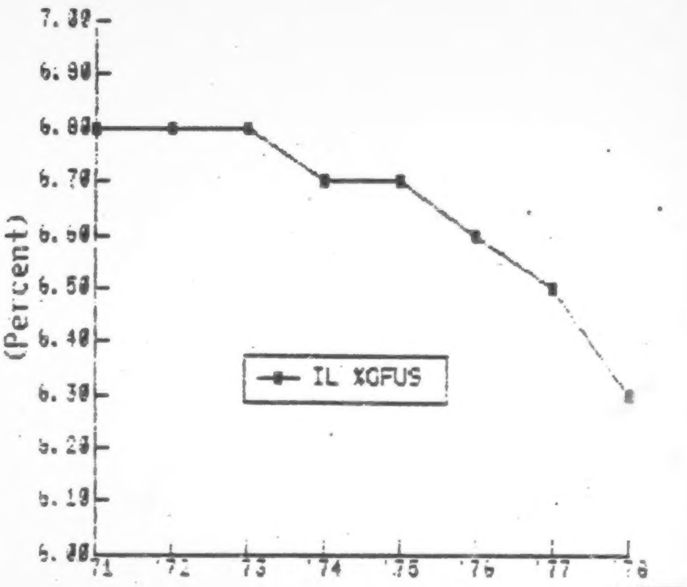
SOURCE: U.S. Department of Commerce, Federal Reserve System.

ILLINOIS CAPITAL IN MANUFACTURING

NEW CAPITAL EXPENDITURES
(Annual Percent Change)



GROSS BOOK VALUE OF DEPRECIABLE ASSETS
(Illinois as Percent of U.S.)



	(Millions of Dollars)					(Millions of Dollars)			
Year	Structures and Additions	Machinery and Equipment	Total	Total % Change Ill.	Total % Change U.S.	Structures and Buildings	Machinery and Equipment	Total	Illinois Percent of U.S.
1970	$402	$1,113	$1,515	—	—	$5,513	$12,849	$18,362	6.9
1971	448	1,028	1,476	-2.6	-9.2	5,796	13,165	18,962	6.8
1972	338	1,226	1,564	6.0	5.4	NA	NA	20,468*	6.8
1973	391*	1,308*	1,699	8.6	19.6	NA	NA	21,500*	6.8
1974	515	1,640	2,155	26.8	23.9	6,795	15,850	22,644	6.7
1975	494	1,734	2,229	3.4	2.3	7,172	17,486	24,658	6.7
1976	575	1,760	2,335	4.8	9.1	7,551	18,423	25,974	6.6
1977	531	2,131	2,662	14.0	15.3	8,029	20,298	28,327	6.5
1978	555	2,421	2,976	11.8	16.5	8,378	21,988	30,366	6.3
1979	NA	NA	NA	NA	22.1	NA	NA	NA	NA
1980	NA	NA	NA	NA	17.1	NA	NA	NA	NA
1981	NA	NA	NA	NA	12.7	9,819	27,649	37,468	5.9
1982	556	2,815	3,372	NA	-4.6	10,095	29,160	39,255	5.7
1983			2,936		-3.7				
1984					13.8				
1985**					10.5				

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*Estimate prepared by Illinois Department of Commerce and Community Affairs.

**Business plans to increase plant and equipment spending -- U.S. Dept. of Commerce survey (AUGUST).

SOURCE: Annual Survey of Manufacturers, U.S. Department of Commerce.

INTEREST RATES
(Average Percent)

INSTRUMENT	1983	1984	1985	1986											
				Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Federal Funds	9.06	10.22	8.10	8.14	7.86	7.48	6.99								
Discount Rate (NY Fed.)	8.50	8.80	7.69	7.50	7.50	7.10	6.83								
Prime Rate	11.16	12.04	9.93	9.50	9.50	9.10	8.83								
U.S. Treas. Bills (Secondary Market)															
3 month	8.61	9.52	7.48	7.07	7.06	6.56	6.06								
6 month	8.73	9.76	7.65	7.16	7.11	6.57	6.08								
Eurodollar Depos. (3 mo.)	9.56	10.73	8.28	8.02	8.94	7.43	6.80								
Bankers Accept. (90 day)	1.89	8.90	7.92	7.62	7.54	7.09									
Commercial Paper															
1 month	8.87	10.05	7.94	7.78	7.70	7.30	6.75								
3 month	8.88	10.10	7.95	7.71	7.63	7.20	6.60								
6 month	8.89	10.16	8.01	7.62	7.54	7.08	6.47								
Certificates of Deposit															
3 month	9.07	10.37	8.05	7.82	7.69	7.24	6.60								
6 month	9.27	10.68	8.25	7.83	7.70	7.23	6.57								
U.S. Treasury Bonds															
1 year	9.57	10.89	8.43	7.73	7.61	7.03	6.44								
3 year	10.45	11.89	9.64	8.41	8.10	7.30	6.86								
10 year	11.10	12.44	10.62	9.19	8.70	7.78	7.30								
State & Local Bonds															
Moody's Aaa	8.80	9.61	8.60	7.70	7.26										
"Bond Buyer" Series	9.51	10.10	9.10	8.08	7.44	7.08	7.20								
Corporate Bonds Aaa	12.04	12.71	11.37	10.05											
A - rated Utility Bond*	12.73	13.81	12.06	10.74	10.20	9.41									
Conventional Mortgages	13.43	13.87		10.88	10.71	10.08	9.94								
Dividend/Price Ratio															
Preferred Stocks	11.02	11.59	10.44	9.85	9.62	9.13	8.97								
Common Stocks	4.40	4.64	4.25	3.90	3.72	3.50	3.43								

* Changed from Aaa utility bonds because series was discontinued in January 1984.

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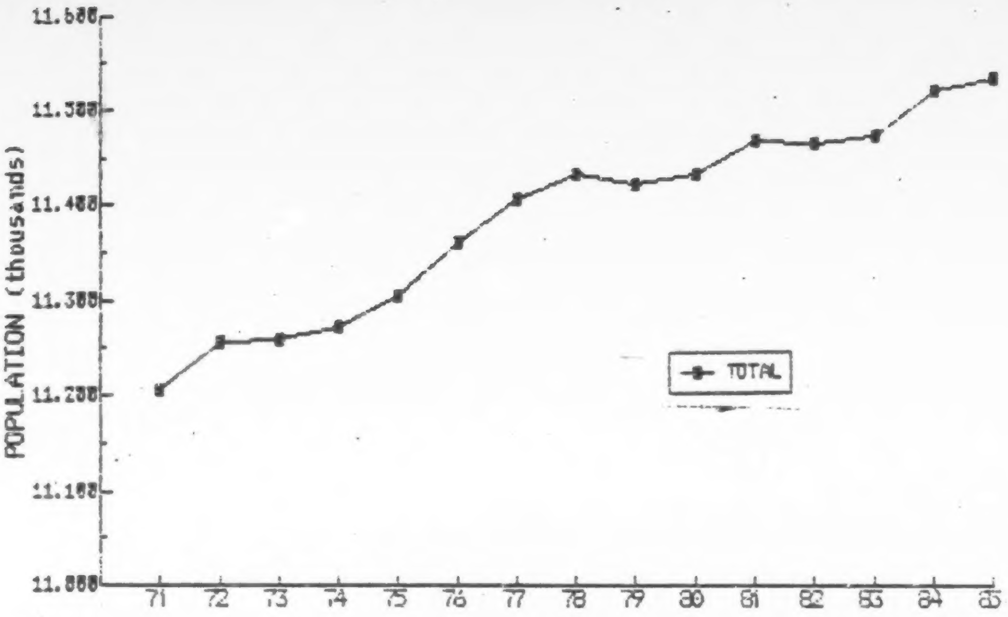
SOURCE: Federal Reserve System.

ILLINOIS POPULATION



POPULATION
(thousands)

RESIDENT POPULATION OF ILLINOIS

					Components of Change			Total Percent Change	
Year		Total	Change	Black	Births	Deaths	Net Migration	Ill.	U.S.
1970	(July 1 EST.)	11,125*		1,420	205,472	110,680	-13,800		
1971	(July 1 EST.)	11,206	+81		195,322	109,848	-33,500	0.7	1.5
1972	(July 1 EST.)	11,258	+52		178,222	111,298	-64,900	0.5	1.2
1973	(July 1 EST.)	11,260	+ 2	1,499	169,249	110,510	-44,700	0.0	1.0
1974	(July 1 EST.)	11,274	+14		169,215	108,171	-29,000	0.1	0.9
1975	(July 1 EST.)	11,306	+32	1,534	169,420	103,552	-11,900	0.3	1.0
1976	(July 1 EST.)	11,360	+54		170,257	103,665	-20,600	0.5	1.0
1977	(July 1 EST.)	11,406	+46		177,393	103,423	-45,900	0.4	1.0
1978	(July 1 EST.)	11,434	+28		174,509	103,026	-82,500	0.2	1.1
1979	(July 1 EST.)	11,423	-11		184,210	102,227	-71,900	-0.1	1.1
1980	(July 1 EST.)	11,433*	+10	1,675	190,058	N/A	N/A	0.1	1.2
1981	(July 1 EST.)	11,467	+34		N/A	N/A	-64,000	0.3	1.0
1982	(July 1 EST.)	11,466	-1				-86,000	0.0	1.0
1983	(July 1 EST.)	11,474	+8		N/A	N/A	-62,000	0.1	0.9
1984	(July 1 EST.)	11,522	+48				-35,000	0.4	0.9
1985	(July 1 PROV.)	11,535	+13				N/A	0.1	0.9

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*April 1, 1970 Census 11,110,258.
April 1, 1980 Census 11,426,518.

			U.S. Department of Commerce	
PROJECTIONS	Bureau of the Budget	National Planning Assoc.	Projection	Percent of U.S. Total
1985	11,585	N/A	N/A	N/A
1990	11,688	N/A	11,617	4.66
2000	12,091	11,900	11,774	4.40
2010	12,554	N/A	N/A	N/A

SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of the Census - Estimates and Projections.

ILLINOIS EXPORTS

AGRICULTURE (millions)

Product	FY 1972	FY 1983	FY 1984	1984 Ill. as % of U.S.
Soybean & Prod.	$404	$1258	$1232	16.3
Feed Grains	214	1417	1751	19.3
Wheat & Flour	28	106	116	1.7
Meats & Prod.	13	54	43	3.6
Hides & Skins	8	26	36	2.7
Fats & Oils	10	18	22	3.1
Other	81	81	79	0.7
TOTAL	$758	$2959	$3279	8.6
ILLINOIS RANK	(1)	(1)	(2)	

EMPLOYMENT RELATED TO EXPORTS (thousands)

	1977	1981	1983
Agriculture*	75.6	72.6	
Manufacturing	140.1	157.0	110.0
Trade	30.9	48.0	58.8
Business Services	15.2	32.6	27.5
Transp., Com., & Util.	13.0	15.5	23.6
Other	21.7	22.3	13.2
TOTAL	296.5	348.0	
Percent of Total Employment	6.0%	6.8%	

MANUFACTURING EXPORTS (million dollars)

	1977			1983			Total Exports as % of Ill. Shpmts.	Employment Related to Mfg. Exports (thousands)	
	Direct	Indirect	Total	Direct	Indirect	Total	1981	1977	1983
Machines, exc. Elec.	2,892	566	3,458					40.8	
Primary Metal	186	1,088	1,273					14.0	
Food & Kindred	736	196	932					3.5	
Elec. Equip.	532	315	847					17.4	
Chemical & Allied	407	353	760					6.7	
Fabricated Metal	323	594	917					15.8	
Transp. Equip.	461	93	554					4.9	
Petroleum & Coal	53	145	198					.3	
Rubber & Plastic	74	143	217					4.5	
Instruments	254	57	312					6.7	
Paper & Allied	35	141	176					2.5	
Other	360	212	572					23.0	
TOTAL	6,313	3,903	10,216	6,362	5,455	11,817		140.1	110.0

TOTAL EXPORTS (millions)

	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984
Agriculture	$2,504	$2,752	$2,812	$2,923	$3,645	$3,871	$3,277	$2,959	$3,279
Manufacturing	10,433	10,216	10,511*	13,695*	16,445	17,039	16,511*	11,817	NA
Direct	(6,660)	(6,313)	NA	NA	(10,084)	(10,369)	(9,300)	(6,362)	NA
Indirect	(3,773)	(3,903)	NA	NA	(6,360)	(6,670)	(7,211)	(5,455)	
Gross Total	12,937	12,788	13,323	16,618	20,090	20,910	19,788	14,776	
Less Duplication**	-963	-1029	-1,062*	-1,397*	-1,796	-1,534	-1,438	NA	
Net Total	$11,974	$11,759	$12,261	$15,221	$18,294	$19,376	$18,350	$ NA	
ILLINOIS RANK	(2)	(2)	(NA)	(NA)	(3)	(3)	(NA)	(NA)	

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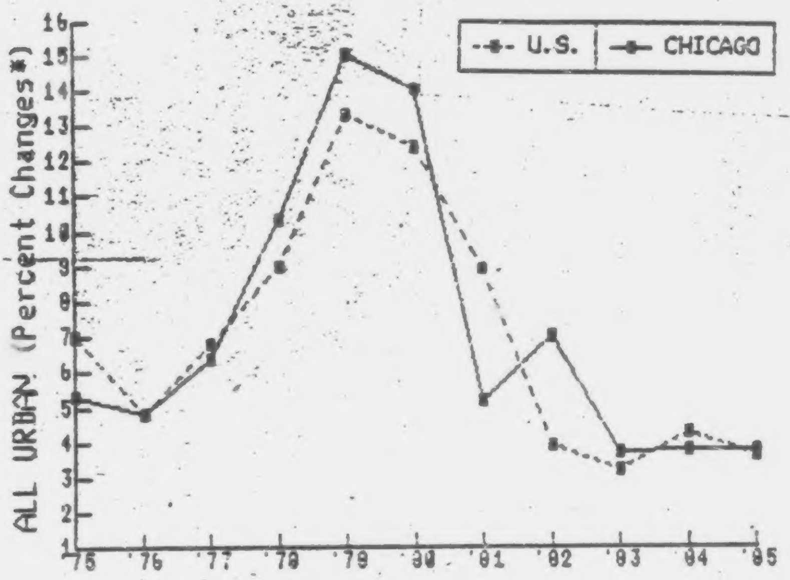
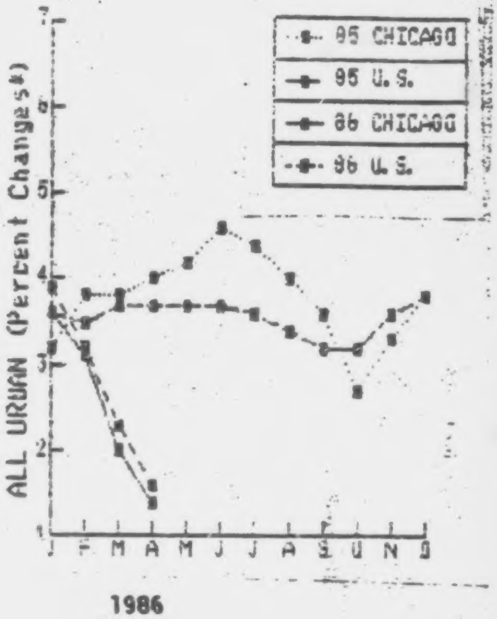
*Estimates prepared by Department of Commerce and Community Affairs

**Both Agriculture and Manufacturing include processed foods.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Agriculture, U.S. Department of Commerce.

U.S. AND CHICAGO/NORTHWESTERN INDIANA
CONSUMER PRICE INDEX
ALL ITEMS





ALL URBAN
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1986
MONTH
(1967=100)

			% Change from Preceding Period*			ALL URBAN				URBAN WAGE EARNERS			
						U.S.		CHICAGO		U.S.		CHICAGO	
Year	U.S.	CHICAGO	U.S.	CHICAGO	Mo.	INDEX	% Chge from 1 yr. ago	INDEX	% Chge from 1 yr. ago	INDEX	% Chge from 1 yr. ago	INDEX	% Chge from 1 yr. ag
1971	121.3	120.8	3.4	2.6	Jan	328.4	3.9	326.3	3.6	324.3	3.7	312.9	3.4
1972	125.3	124.3	3.4	3.1	Feb	327.5	3.2	324.4	3.1	323.2	3.0	312.8	2.9
1973	133.1	132.0	8.8	8.5	Mar	326.0	2.3	323.9	2.0	321.4	1.9	309.7	1.6
1974	147.7	146.1	12.2	12.0	Apr	325.3	1.6	323.7	1.4	320.4	1.2	309.1	0.9
1975	161.2	157.6	7.0	5.3	May								
1976	170.5	165.1	4.8	4.8	June								
1977	181.5	175.6	6.8	6.4	July								
1978	195.4	190.7	9.0	10.3	Aug								
1979	217.4	214.6	13.3	15.0	Sept								
1980	246.8	245.5	12.4	14.0	Oct								
1981	272.4	269.0	8.9	5.2	Nov								
1982	289.1	287.4	6.2	7.0	Dec								
1983	298.4	298.8	3.2	3.7									
1984	311.1	310.1	4.3	3.3									
1985	322.2	321.8	3.5	3.8									
1986**			2.5, 1.9										
1987**			3.6, 3.0										

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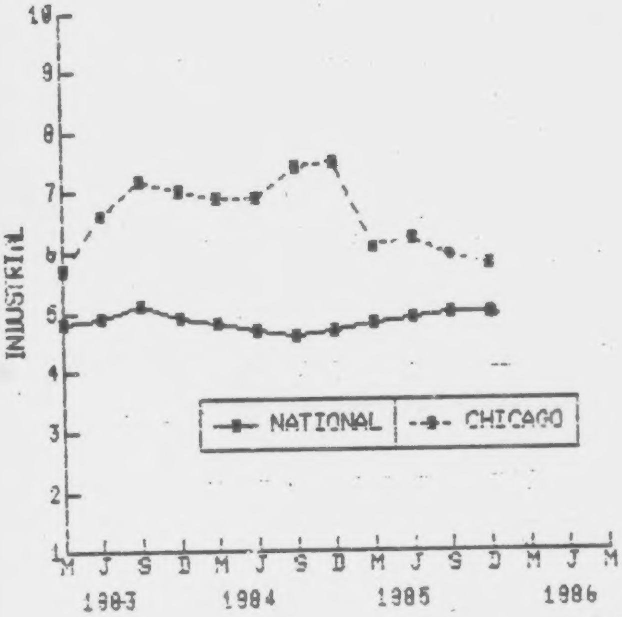
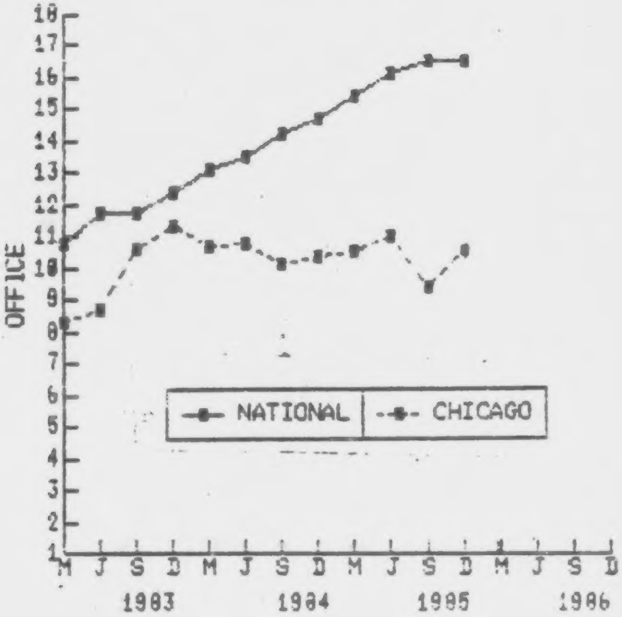
*Annual changes are from Dec. to Dec. (unadjusted).

**Chase Econometric Forecast (APRIL), Data Resources Forecast (MAY), Average annual changes.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Labor.

INDUSTRIAL AND OFFICE VACANCY RATES





INDUSTRIAL VACANCY RATES**

	1984				1985				1986			
	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D
National	4.8	4.7	4.6	4.7	4.8	4.9	5.0	5.0	5.3			
Chicago	6.9	6.9	7.4	7.5	6.1	6.2	5.9	5.8	6.2			
Southern California	5.0	5.3	5.0	5.4	5.7	6.3	6.3	6.5	5.4			
Philadelphia	4.7	4.3	3.5	3.5	3.7	3.4	3.0	3.5	3.8			
Houston[r]	5.4	4.8	6.0	7.7	13.5	14.8	15.0	14.1	14.2			
St. Louis[r]	6.2	5.2	4.7	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.3	6.3			

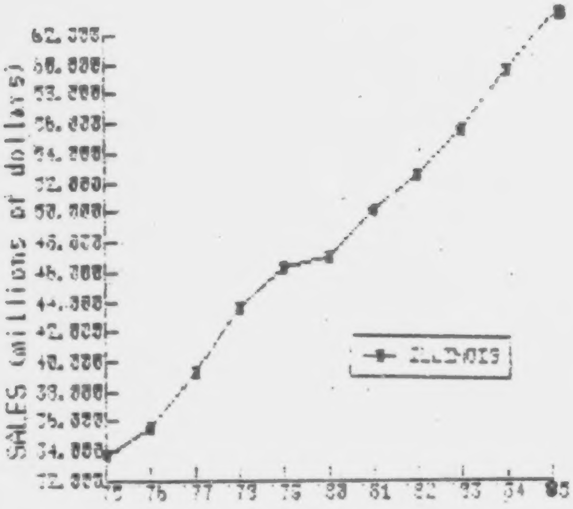
*Percentage of vacant or available space to total amount of industrial space in buildings of 100,000 sq. ft. or more in 19 metro areas.

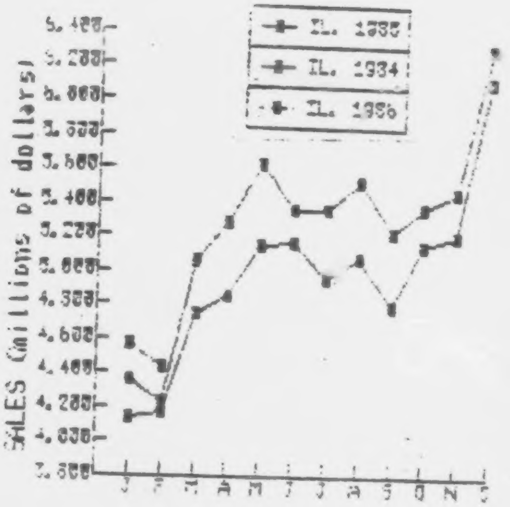
DOWNTOWN OFFICE VACANCY RATES**

	1984				1985				1986			
	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D
National	13.1	13.5	14.2	14.7	15.4	16.1	16.5	16.5	16.5			
New York	4.5	6.5	6.6	8.3	8.5	10.4	10.0	11.1	10.8			
Chicago	10.7	10.8	10.1	10.4	10.5	11.0	9.4	10.6	11.0			
Suburban	13.8	13.4	13.8	16.8	18.7	19.0	18.9	21.7	20.9			
Los Angeles	12.2	11.8	12.9	11.8	12.4	12.8	13.5	18.2	18.5			
Phil'phia	8.8	9.6	10.1	9.0	8.0	8.2	8.8	10.2	9.2			
Houston	18.5	21.1	20.9	20.9	19.5	20.2	19.3	20.2	19.1			
St. Louis	10.5	9.5	10.7	9.8	11.0	10.9	10.4	10.8	11.0			

**Percentage of vacant space for lease or rent to total square footage in office buildings surveyed in 22 downtown areas.   r: revised
SOURCE: Coldwell Banker.

ILLINOIS SALES OF ALL RETAIL STORES





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(millions)

	---AMOUNT---			--PERCENT CHANGE---			
Year	Ill.	Chicago SMSA*	Chicago City	Ill.	Chicago SMSA*	Chicago City	U.S.
1975	33,643	21,239	8,774	8.2	5.7	0.9	8.7
1976	35,593	23,772	9,492	5.8	11.9	8.2	11.8
1977**	39,337	26,014	9,442	10.5	9.4	-0.5	10.3
1978	43,523	28,780	10,718	10.6	10.6	13.5	11.3
1979	46,324	31,054	10,939	6.4	7.9	2.1	11.5
1980	46,999	31,537	10,689	1.4	1.6	-2.3	2.9
1981	50,122	32,586	10,958	6.6	3.3	2.5	8.8
1982	52,465	34,692	10,967	4.7	6.5	0.1	2.7
1983	55,566	36,713	11,094	5.9	5.8	1.2	6.7
1984	59,468	39,697	12,505	7.0	8.1	12.7	10.5
1985	63,102	41,946	12,581	6.1	5.7	0.6	6.3

MONTH*
(millions)
1986

				Percent Change from 1 Year Ago			
Mo.	Ill.	Chicago SMSA*	Chicago City	Ill.	Chicago SMSA*	Chicago City	U.S.
Jan	4,561	3,123	919	4.5	8.6	5.3	6.9
Feb^p	4,429	3,097	896	4.7	9.4	5.5	4.3
Mar							
Apr							
May							
Jun							
Jul							
Aug							
---1985***---							
Sep							
Oct	5,359	3,653	1,124	4.0	5.6	—	6.0
Nov	5,455	3,744	1,119	1.9	5.9	1.9	4.6
Dec	6,296	4,316	1,251	1.1	3.6	1.1	5.8

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*SMSA data will not be revised for new PMSA/MSA/CSA configurations until 1987.

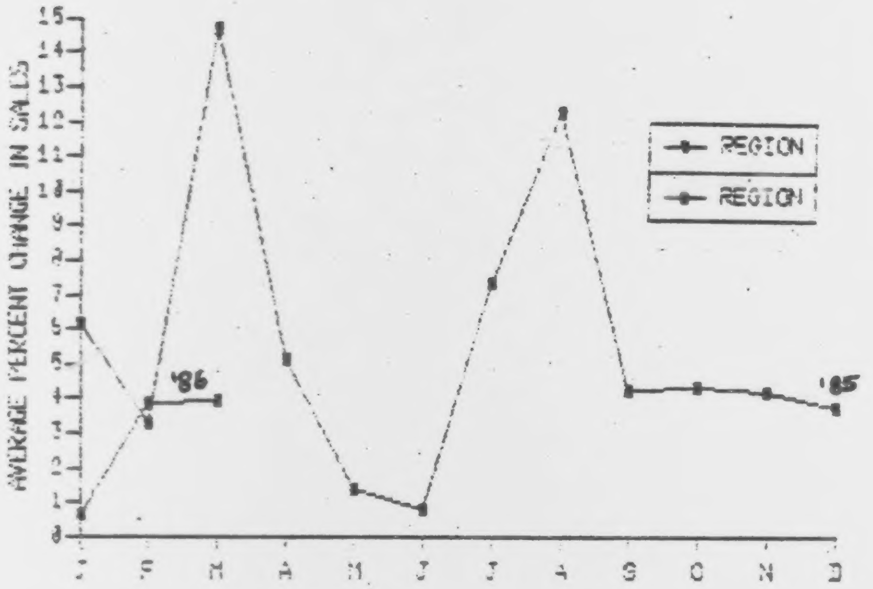
p=preliminary ***Monthly 1985 retail series revisions with new benchmark will be reported in the next issue.

*Data are not adjusted for seasonal variations, holidays, or trading-day differences.

**Extensive modifications to monthly survey begin with April, 1977 data.

SOURCE: Monthly Retail Trade, U.S. Department of Commerce.

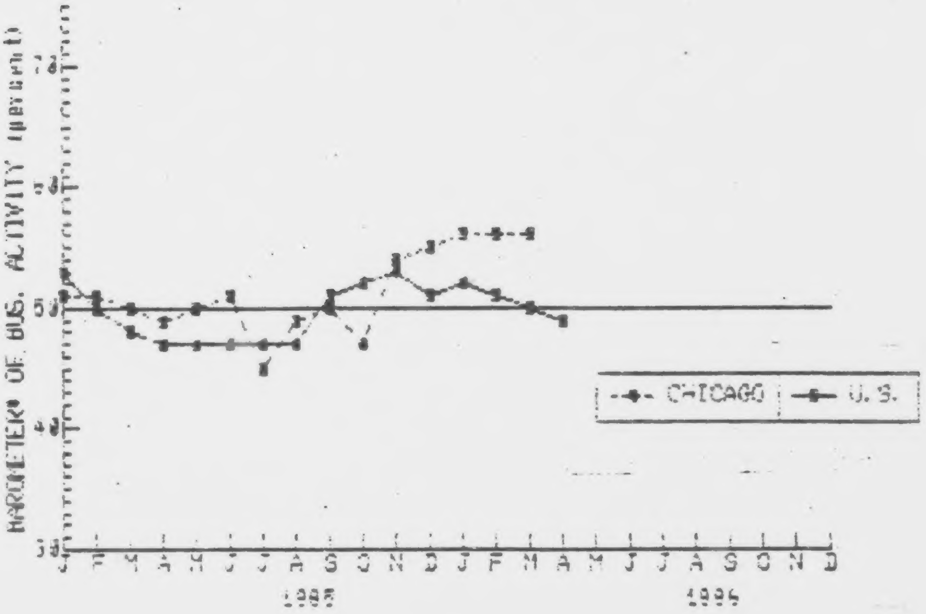
RETAILERS SALES COMPARISON



MONTH		GROSS SALES RECEIPTS — AVERAGE % CHANGE FROM 1 YEAR AGO				TOTAL REGIONAL AVERAGE CHANGE IN SALES BY TYPE		
		REGION*	CHICAGO	NO. ILL.	CEN./ SOUTH	DEPT.	SPECIALITY	OTHER
	1984	8.28%	8.99%	6.11%	6.34%	8.91%	2.37%	3.85%
	1985	4.93	5.94	2.05	2.91	5.12	4.92	1.92
1986								
JAN		0.64	0.23	0.13	6.48%	1.33	-11.26%	4.96
FEB		3.90	3.24	6.12	2.85	4.33	- 5.62	4.27
MAR		3.99%	3.56%	5.10%	7.50%	4.56%	1.99%	-9.33%
APR								
MAY								
JUNE								
JULY								
AUG								
SEPT								
OCT								
NOV								
DEC								
Year to Date		4.08%	3.55%	5.59%	5.91%	4.52%	0.48%	-2.89%

*Regional figures include Chicago, Northern Illinois, Central/Southern Illinois, and Northern Indiana.
SOURCE: Illinois Retail Merchants Association.

PURCHASING MANAGERS SURVEY



		J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
BAROMETER (Composite Index* of Business Activity)													
CHICAGO	1985	51	51	50	49	50	51	45	49	50	47	54	55
	1986	56	56	56									
U.S.	1985	53	50	48	47	47	47	47	47	51	52	53	51
	1986	52	51	50	49	54							

1986
CHICAGO SERIES ITEM INDEX*

PRODUCTION	60	66	66
NEW ORDERS	60	70	64
ORDER BACKLOG	53	62	59
INVENTORIES	49	58	56
EMPLOYMENT	44	48	49
VENDOR DEL.	54	52	50
PRICES PAID	58	55	58

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*Index of 50 or above indicates expansion, less than 50 means contraction
**Barometer data is seasonally adjusted; all other data not seasonally adjusted.
SOURCE: Purchasing Management Association of Chicago

ILLINOIS
STATE GOVERNMENT

STATE TRANSACTIONS - GENERAL FUNDS, 1986
(millions)

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
BEGINNING AVAILABLE BALANCE	$308	$249	$112	$265	$245							
Revenues:												
Income Tax	307	245	340	384								
Sales Tax	249	232	333	237								
Other	134	104	168	152								
Transfers In	61	65	83	56								
Federal	141	112	148	137								
TOTAL REVENUES	892	758	1072	966								
Expenditures:												
Public Aid	265	231	265	255								
Common School Fund	163	163	163	163								
Operations	271	237	247	236								
Other	191	180	181	268								
Transfers Out	61	84	63	64								
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	951	895	919	986								
ENDING AVAILABLE BALANCE	249	112	265	245								

STATE EMPLOYMENT AND PAYROLL

	TOTAL		ALL AGENCIES EXCEPT EDUCATION		EDUCATION	
1986	Employees	Payrolls (000)	Employees	Payrolls (000)	Employees	Payrolls (000)
January	116,300	$212,799	78,417	$152,558	37,963	$60,241
February	118,828	213,127	78,514	151,980	40,314	61,147
March	118,977	214,408	78,626	152,599	40,351	61,809
April						
May						
June						
July						
August						
September						
October						
November						
December						

SOURCE: Office of the Controller

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NATIONAL

Real GNP increased 1.1 percent, at an annual rate, in the second quarter, following a revised 3.8 percent rate in the first quarter. Growth during the four quarters of 1985 was 2.9 percent, revised up from the 2.1 percent previously published. Second quarter growth reflected strong gains in consumer spending, residential investment, and government purchases.

In June, personal income rose 0.1 percent, due partly to reduced farm subsidy payments and strikes. For the second quarter as a whole, personal income rose at a 6.0-percent annual rate. After adjustment for inflation, consumer spending increased at a 5.9-percent annual rate with all categories of durable-goods purchases showing strong gains. Consumer spending rose 0.6 percent in June and 0.7 percent in May. The savings rate fell in June to 4.5 percent from 5.1 percent in May.

The industrial operating rate fell 0.6 percent in June to 78.3 percent, with the decline concentrated in durable goods manufacturing and in mining. Since January, the operating rate has declined 2 1/2 percentage points.

Real construction put in place did not change in June and has shown virtually no net gain during the first half. Residential building increased 1.9 percent in June; private nonresidential construction continued to decline--down 1.1 percent in June. Public construction declined 2.5 percent in June--mainly in highway and street construction--after climbing steadily earlier this year.

New orders for durable goods advanced 2.1 percent in June. Defense bookings increased 13.7 percent; orders for nondefense capital goods gained 2.3 percent, mainly in computers and communications equipment. Total shipments of durable goods edged up 0.1 percent in June.

Retail sales increased 0.2 percent in June following gains of 0.9 percent in April and 0.7 percent in May. In the second quarter as a whole, retail sales rose 4.3 percent at an annual rate, slightly less than their 4.9-percent first-quarter advance. Price weakness during the second quarter indicates a strong increase in real spending.

The merchandise trade deficit, on a balance of payments basis, rose to $33.4 billion in the second quarter from $29.6 billion in the first quarter. The $3.8 billion deterioration reflects both lower exports and higher imports.

Consumer prices rose 0.2 percent in May and 0.5 percent in June, as measured by the all-urban Consumer Price Index. The food component rose 0.4 percent in May and 0.1 in June; energy rose 0.3 and 2.3 percent, and all other items were up 0.1 and 0.3 percent, respectively. The Producer Price Index was up 0.6 percent in May and was unchanged in June.

The personal savings rate declined again in June, to 4.5 percent from 5.1 percent in May. Consumer installment credit, however, rose 5.4 percent in May, the latest reporting period.

Both the Consumer Buying Plans Index and the Consumer Sentiment Index were up in June, to 111.1 and 99.3, respectively from May readings of 108.9 and 94.8.

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STATE

Total personal income for the first quarter of this year was reported at $169,220 million, a -1.7 percent change from the fourth quarter of last year, seasonally adjusted at an annual rate. Nonfarm personal income increased 0.7 percent. Payrolls declined in manufacturing and construction and increased at rates below the national average in service industries and state/local government. The decline in durables payrolls reflected weakness in heavy machinery and electrical and electronic equipment production.

Total cash receipts from form marketings in March, at $533 million, were down 16.5 percent from a year ago, although receipts were 17.4 percent higher than in February.

Monthly bituminous coal production totaled 5,325,000 tons in June and 5,456,000 tons in May. Nearly two-thirds of total tonnage came from underground mines.

Contracts for future construction posted strong gains in both April and May: $995 and $933 million, respectively. All three sectors reported increases, with non-building construction leaping to nearly $300 million in April and $215 million in May.

The estimated size of the labor force increased in June to a record 5,733,000, and was 5,722,000 in July. In each month the number employed reached a high of 5,273,000. The services and construction sectors showed the largest increases in non-agricultural employment from May to June, with advances of 10,000 and 7,000, respectively.

The state unemployment rate dropped to 7.8% in July, from 8.0% in June, on a seasonally adjusted basis. Average length of unemployment declined to 15.6 weeks in June, from 18.5 weeks in May.

Average weekly hours for production workers increased slightly in June, to 40.8 from 40.7 in May. Weekly wages dipped to $430.85, from $431.42.

New business incorporations were off 12.5 percent in May, 17.2 percent in April from the same period last year, at 2,352 and 2,349, respectively.

In fiscal year 1985, total agricultural exports amounted to nearly $2.5 billion, ranking Illinois third among all states and accounting for 7.5% of all U.S. exports.

The all-urban consumer price index (CPI-U) for Chicago increased 1.9% in June and 1.4 percent in May as compared with those months in 1985. The June city area CPI-U and CPI-W were 330.4 and 315.6, respectively.

Retail sales in May in Chicago were up 8.5%, to $1,143 million, and increased 2.2% statewide, to $5,749 million, from May of 1985.

The June indexes for the Purchasing Managers Survey showed continued improvement, indicating continued moderate growth for the third and fourth quarters.

The state's general funds available balance reached $336 in July, three times the level in February. Total state employment was 112,134 in June, a 5.1 percent decline from May. Associated payrolls totalled $216,259,692, a 0.8% increase over May.

JULY 1986

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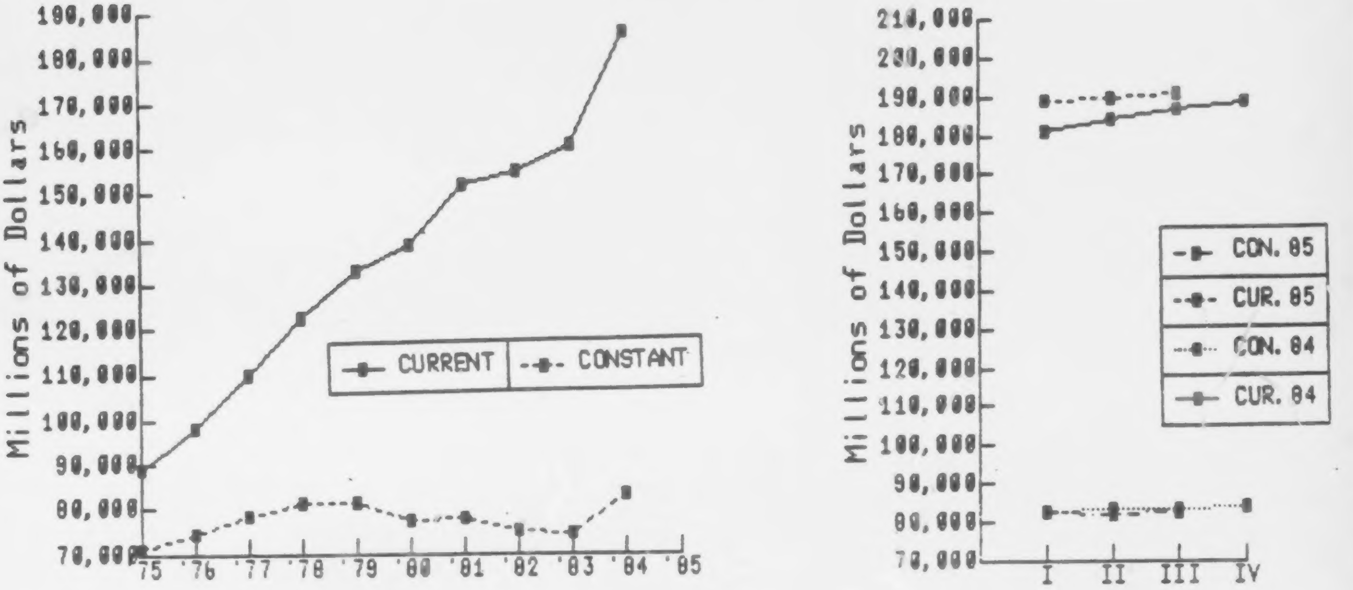
ILLINOIS GROSS STATE PRODUCT



ANNUAL
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QUARTER*
(millions)

Year	Current	Constant (1982=100)	Constant $ Percent Change ILL.	Constant $ Percent Change U.S.
1971	63,278	65,901	0.4	3.4
1972	67,983	67,983	3.2	5.7
1973	76,294	72,111	6.1	5.8
1974	81,929	71,193	-1.3	-0.6
1975	89,039	70,784	-0.6	-1.2
1976	98,244	74,236	4.9	5.4
1977	109,876	78,455	5.7	5.5
1978	122,730	81,591	4.0	5.0
1979	132,893	81,319	-0.3	2.8
1980	138,463	77,510	-4.7	-0.3
1981	152,141	77,963	0.6	2.5
1982	155,007	74,926	-3.9	-2.1
1983	160,567	74,564	-0.5	3.5
1984	185,660	83,106	9.5r	6.5
1985				2.2
1986				2.3, 2.4**
1987				2.7, 2.8**
1988				2.8, 2.9**

Year	Current	Constant (1972=100)	Constant $ % Change at Annual Rate Ill.	Constant $ % Change at Annual Rate U.S.
1984r				
I	181,438	82,255	--	11.4
II	184,617	83,011	3.7	5.1
III	186,883	83,218	1.0	2.0
IV	189,131	83,649	2.1	0.6
1985r				
I	189,059	82,533	-5.2	3.7
II	189,620	82,238	-1.4	1.1
IIIp	191,322	82,441	1.0	3.0
IV				2.1
1986				
I				3.8
II				1.1

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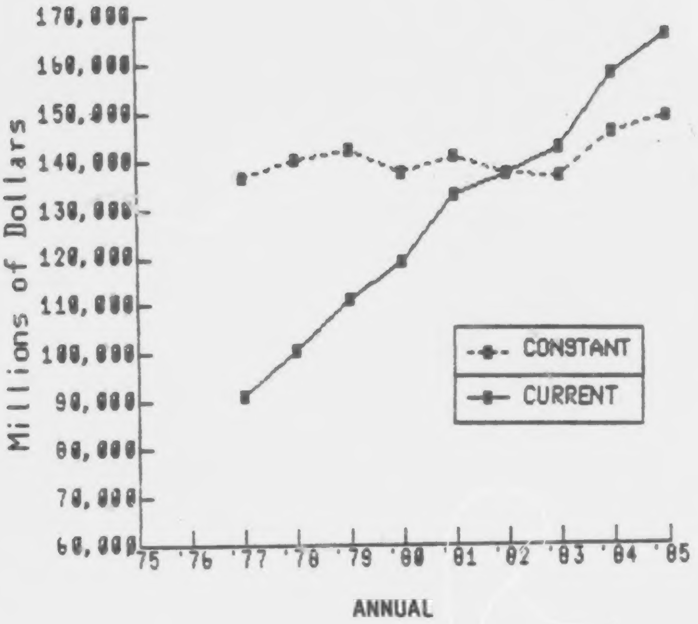
p - preliminary r - revised (New methodology makes these numbers not comparable to previous year

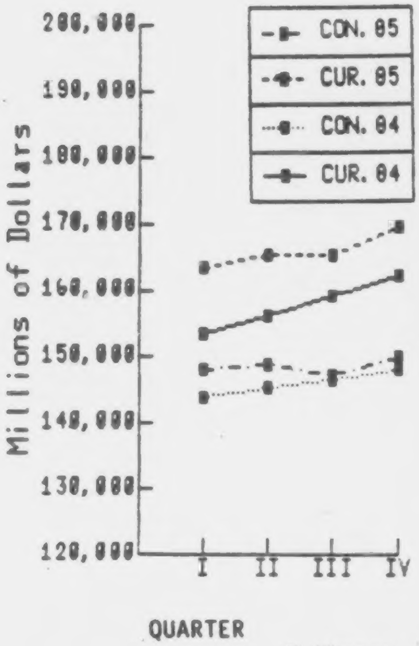
*Seasonally adjusted at annual rates.

**Chase Econometrics Forecast (JUNE), Data Resources Forecast (JULY).

SOURCE: Illinois Department of Commerce and Community Affairs.

ILLINOIS TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME





	Amount (millions)		Percentage Change				Current $ Per Capita Personal Income	
			Current		Constant			
Year	Cur-rent	Con-stant**	ILL.	U.S.	ILL.	U.S.	ILL.	U.S.
1977	91,253	136,811	10.0	10.8	4.0	4.7	8,000	6,984
1978	100,567	140,457	10.2	12.5	2.7	5.1	8,795	7,772
1979	111,264	142,281	10.6	12.1	1.3	2.9	9,741	8,651
1980	119,451	137,934	7.4	11.0	-3.1	0.8	10,448	9,494
1981	133,125	140,724	11.5	12.2	2.0	3.5	11,609	10,544
1982	137,285	137,285	3.1	-6.4	-2.4	0.6	11,985	11,113
1983	142,300	136,959	3.6	6.1	-0.2	2.1	12,393	11,690
1984	157,753	145,798	10.9	10.3	6.4	6.4	13,802	12,772
1985	165,900	148,656	5.8	5.8	2.0	2.8	14,397	13,451
1986				4.9, 5.1***				
1987				6.0, 5.6***				
1988				6.6, 6.1***				

	Amount* (millions)	% Change at Annual Rates ILL.	% Change at Annual Rates U.S.
1985 CURRENT			
I	163,275	2.8	6.2
II	165,481	5.5	4.0
III	165,608	-0.3	2.6
IV	169,938	11.1	4.8
1985 CONSTANT			
I	148,028	2.6	3.5
II	148,680	1.8	0.3
III	147,385	-3.8	0.5
IV	150,111	7.5	0.5
1986 CURRENT			
I	169,220	-1.7	4.7

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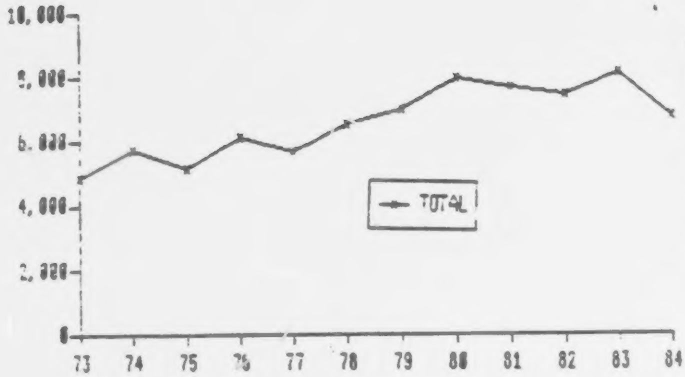
*Seasonally adjusted at annual rates.

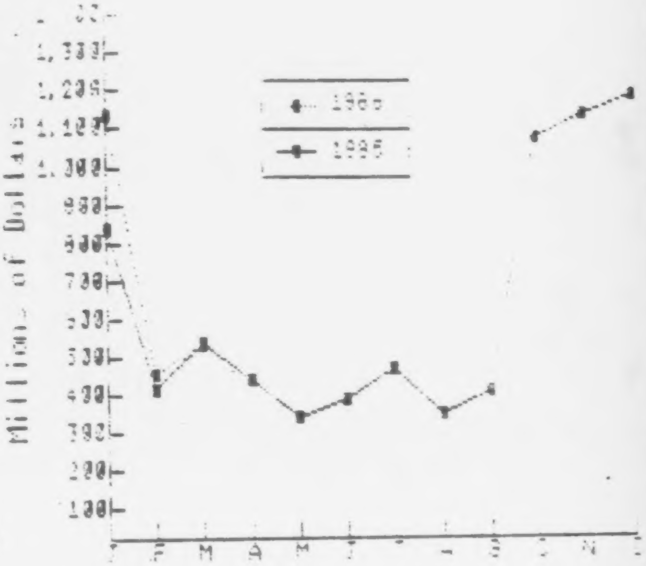
**Personal Consumption Expenditures deflator for U.S. (1982=100).

***Chase Econometric Forecast (JUNE), Data Resources Forecast (JULY).

SOURCE: Survey of Current Business, U.S. Department of Commerce.

ILLINOIS
CASH RECEIPTS FROM FARM MARKETINGS





Year	Livestock	Crops	Total	Total Percent Change ILL.	Total Percent Change U.S.
ANNUAL (millions)					
1970	1,314	1,496	2,810	1.2	4.9
1971	1,188	1,548	2,736	-2.6	4.8
1972	1,488	1,832	3,319	21.3	15.7
1973	1,923	2,959	4,882	47.1	42.3
1974	1,799	3,933	5,731	17.4	6.1
1975	1,873	3,320	5,193	-9.4	-4.6
1976	1,847	4,290	6,134	18.1	7.4
1977	1,874	3,823	5,697	-7.1	0.8
1978	2,127	4,430	6,556	15.1	16.9
1979	2,383	4,584	6,967	6.3	17.1
1980	2,321	5,650	7,971	14.4	5.9
1981	2,225	5,420	7,645	-4.1	2.6
1982r	2,368	5,169	7,537	-1.4	-0.1
1983r	2,295	4,847	7,142	-5.2	-3.2
1984r	2,182	4,556	6,738	-5.6	7.2
1985	2,176	5,379	7,555	12.1	1.2

1986 Month	Livestock	Crops	Total	Total % Change from 1 Year Ago ILL.	Total % Change from 1 Year Ago U.S.
MONTH (millions)					
Jan	172	965	1137	+14.3	6.3
Feb	156	298	454	-3.6	-0.1
Mar^{p}	148	385	533	-16.5	--
Apr					
May					
June					
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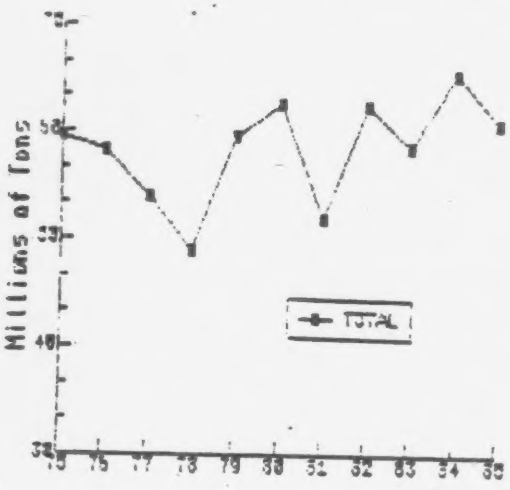
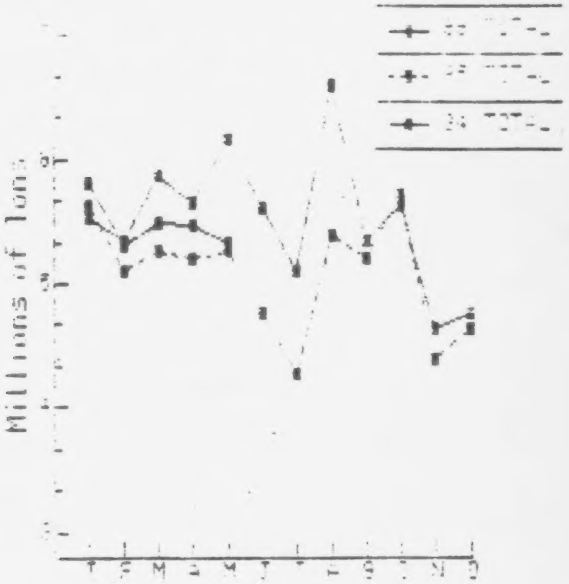
SOURCE: Agricultural Outlook, U.S. Department of Agriculture.

ILLINOIS BITUMINOUS COAL PRODUCTION





ANNUAL
(thousands of tons)

Year	SURFACE	UNDERGROUND	TOTAL	PERCENT TOTAL OF U.S.
1970	33,269	31,615	64,884	10.8
1971	28,961	29,454	58,415[s]	10.6
1972	33,806	31,715	65,621	11.0
1973	28,971	32,578	61,549	10.4
1974	26,969	31,104	58,073	9.6
1975	27,659	31,880	59,539	9.2
1976	27,224	30,912	58,136	8.6
1977	24,291	29,589	53,880	7.7
1978	23,855	24,889	48,744[s]	7.3
1979	26,857	32,681	59,538	7.6
1980	27,574	34,968	62,542	7.5
1981	22,563	29,236	51,799[s]	6.3
1982	25,750	36,477	62,227	7.4
1983	25,003	33,370	58,373	7.5
1984	25,344	39,945	65,289	7.5
1985[r]	21,829	38,648	60,477	7.1

MONTHLY
(thousands of tons)

	TOTAL	1986		
Month	1985	SURFACE	UNDERGROUND	TOTAL
Jan	5,620	2,079	3,734	5,813
Feb	5,098	1,905	3,403	5,308
March	5,258	1,825	3,660	5,485
April	5,196	1,990	3,876	5,866
May	5,266	1,845	3,611	5,456
June	4,750	1,883	3,442	5,325
July	4,269			
Aug	5,384			
Sept	5,193			
Oct	5,714			
Nov	4,389			
Dec	4,633			

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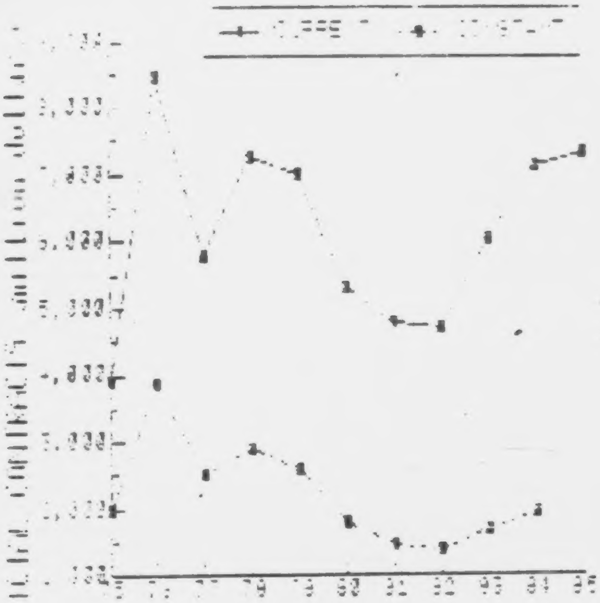
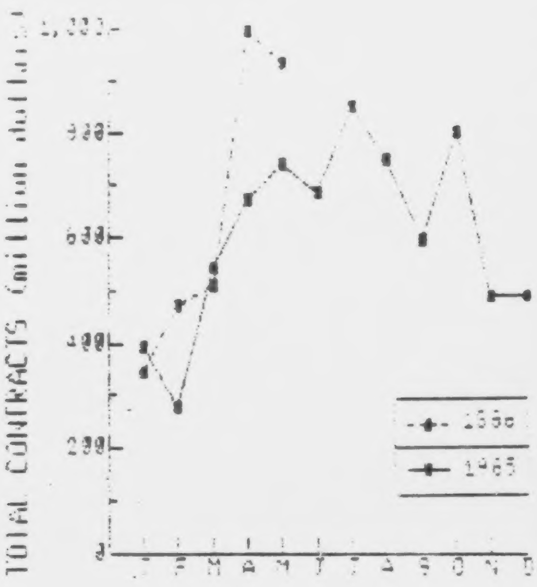
s - Affected by major strike activity.
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Mines and Minerals.

ILLINOIS CONTRACTS FOR FUTURE* CONSTRUCTION





	ANNUAL (millions)								MONTH (millions)					
				TOTAL								TOTAL		
Year	Residential	Non-Res.	Non-Bldg.	Current Amount	Constant Amount**	Current Percent Change Ill.	Current Percent Change U.S.	1986 Month	Residential	Non-Res.	Non-Bldg.	Amt.	Cumulative Year-to-Date Ill.	Cumulative Year-to-Date U.S.
1975	1,363	1,482	1,062	3,907	1,988	-10.7	-1.1	Jan	$117	$157	$73	$347	-12	-10
1976	2,172	1,591	4,697	8,459	3,886	116.5	22.3	Feb	158	142	169	469	+24	--
1977	3,183	1,641	962	5,786	2,511	-31.6	26.5	Mar	303	145	60	508	-10	-3
1978	3,463	2,200	1,599	7,262	2,905	25.5	13.4	Apr	422	277	295	995	+65	
1979	2,788	2,498	1,711	6,997	2,576	-3.6	4.0	May	476	242	215	933	+21	
1980	1,702	2,192	1,408	5,302	1,786	-24.4	-13.0	June	404	398	94	896	+41	
1981	1,579	2,240	962	4,781	1,471	-9.8	1.2	July						
1982	1,435	1,977	1,284	4,696	1,393	-1.0	0.7	Aug						
1983	2,338	2,242	1,439	6,020	1,678	28.2	23.0	Sept						
1984	2,435	2,829	1,834	7,099	1,946	17.2	8.4	Oct						
1985	2,607	3,027	1,667	7,301		5.6	5.8	Nov						
1986***						5.0^r	4.0^r	Dec						
1987														

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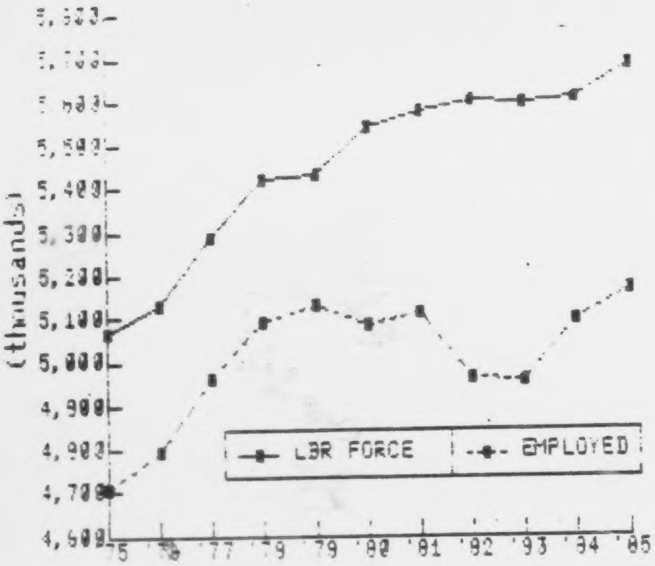
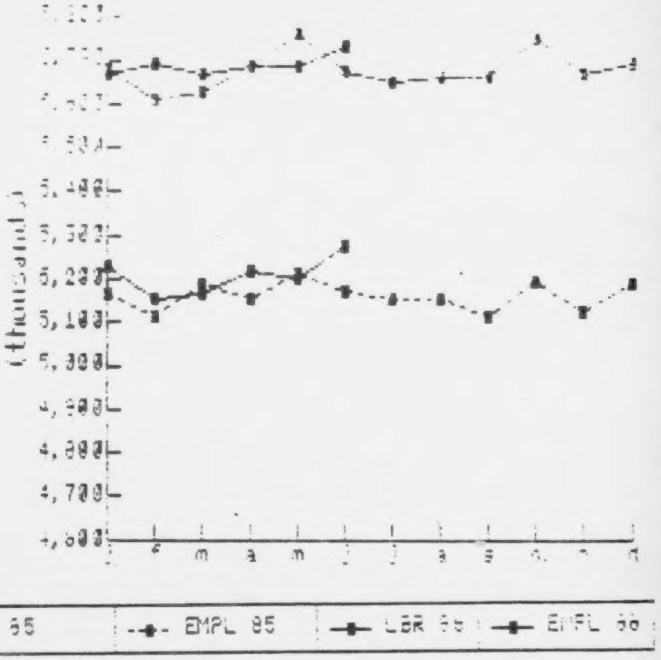
*Construction generally begins about 6 months later. r - revised
***Dodge Forecast (March, 1986). **Figure under Illinois is actually for North Central (OCTOBER).
SOURCE: Dodge Division. McGraw-Hill Information System Co.

LABOR FORCE, EMPLOYED AND UNEMPLOYED





ANNUAL
(thousands)

Year	ILLINOIS Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Insured Unemployed Numb.	Percent**
1970	4,710	4,538	171	NA	NA
1971	4,735	4,494	242	96.5	3.0
1972	4,855	4,609	246	87.3	2.8
1973	4,909	4,705	203	68.4	1.9
1974	4,989	4,777	212	90.0	2.3
1975	5,068	4,708	360	216.8	5.6
1976	5,132	4,797	336	197.9	5.3
1977	5,289	4,964	325	172.3	4.6
1978	5,420	5,092	329	149.7	3.7
1979	5,429	5,130	298	141.0	3.1
1980	5,539	5,085	458	212.7	4.6
1981	5,578	5,111	475	196.8	4.4
1982	5,597	4,963	634	252.5	5.5
1983	5,594	4,954	640	217.8	5.0
1984	5,604	5,093	511	140.1	3.2
1985	5,673	5,160	513	146.1	3.3

MONTH*
(thousands)
1986

Month	ILLINOIS Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Insured Unemployed Numb.	Per**
Jan	5666	5228	438	170.9	3.8
Feb	5694	5151	543	179.3	4.0
Mar	5667	5165	502	171.5	3.8
Apr	5683	5217	466	152.9	3.4
May	5685	5201	484	134.0	3.0
June	5733	5273	460	131.6	2.9
July	5722	5273	449	133.5	2.9
Aug					
Sep					
Oct					
Nov					
Dec					

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*Data are seasonally adjusted except for insured unemployed.

**Insured unemployment as percent of average covered employment.

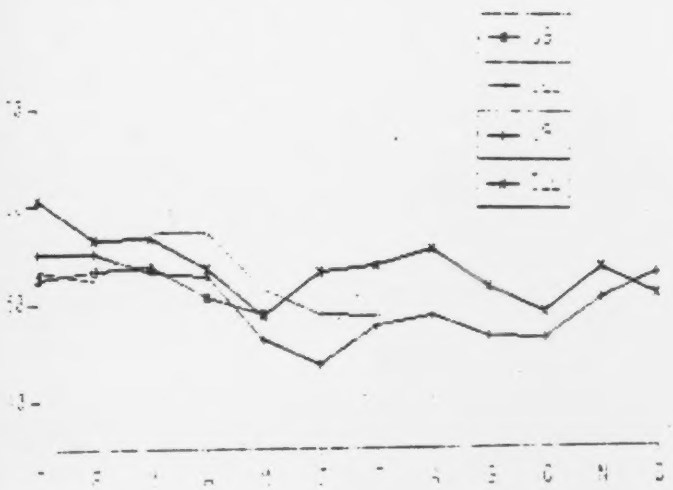
p - preliminary

E - Estimate prepared by the Illinois Dept. of Employment Security.

SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

UNEMPLOYED PERSONS BY REASON AND DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT

Job Losers as Percent of Unemployed



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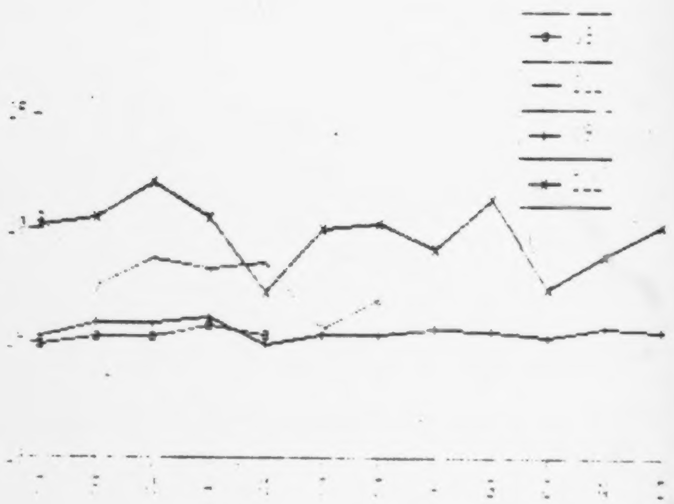

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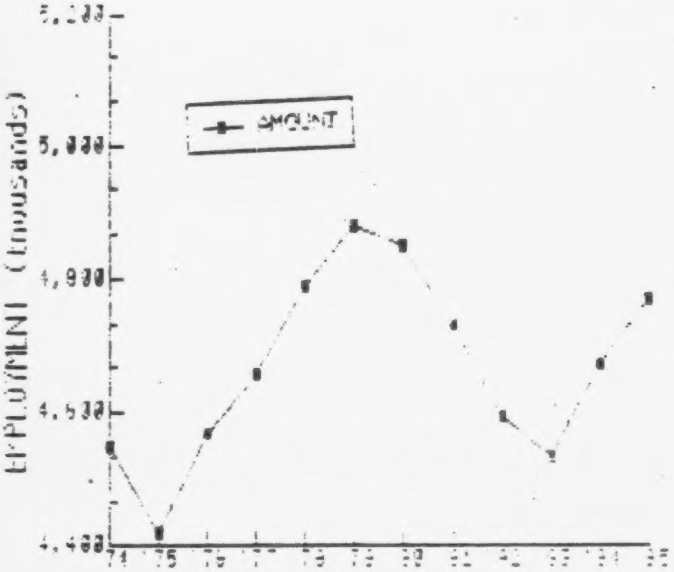
	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
	Job Losers as Percentage of Unemployed											
ILL	53.3	52.2	57.2	57.3	51.3	48.8						
U.S.	52.5	53.3	53.7	50.5	48.8							
	Mean Duration (in weeks)											
ILL	20.5	17.5	18.7	18.3	18.5	15.6						
U.S.	14.9r	15.3	15.3	15.8	15.4							
	ILLINOIS Number of Unemployed(000's)											
Job Losers	258.9	297.8	294.2	265.4	240.5	238.5						
Job Leavers	40.0	49.8	31.1	46.0	36.3	49.2						
Reentrants	114.5	145.3	117.5	126.0	120.6	111.2						
New Entrants	72.7	77.1	71.3	71.8	71.0	90.4						
TOTAL	486.1	570.0	514.1	509.2	468.4	489.3						
	Duration(000's)											
Less than 15 Weeks	320.7	398.5	320.0	347.2	336.8	350.5						
15 Weeks and Over	165.4	171.5	194.1	162.0	131.6	138.8						

r - revised *Not seasonally adjusted

SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

ILLINOIS TOTAL NON-AGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT



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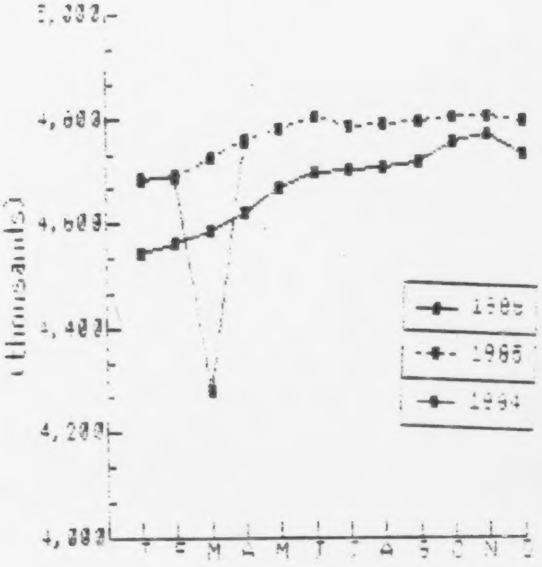

MONTH*
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Year	Amount	Percent Change ILL.	Percent Change U.S.
1971	4,296	-1.1	0.5
1972	4,315	0.4	3.5
1973	4,470	3.6	4.2
1974	4,546	1.7	1.9
1975	4,419	-2.8	-1.7
1976	4,566	3.3	3.2
1977	4,656	2.0	3.9
1978	4,789	2.9	5.1
1979	4,880	2.0	3.6
1980	4,850	-0.3	0.8
1981	4,732	-2.3	1.8
1982	4,593	-2.9	-1.7
1983	4,531	-1.4	0.6
1984	4,672	3.1	4.7
1985	4,767	2.1	3.4

Month	1984	1985	1986	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago Ill.	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago U.S.
Jan	4,544	4,688	4,685	0.0	-1.4
Feb	4,564	4,688	4,693	0.1	-1.2
Mar	4,588	4,727	4,728	-9.6	-1.3
Apr	4,620	4,758	4,767	0.2	-1.1
May	4,667	4,779	4,785	0.1	-1.2
June	4,698	4,803	4,800	0.0	-1.4
July	4,702	4,782			
Aug	4,709	4,789			
Sept	4,719	4,795			
Oct	4,754	4,802			
Nov	4,771	4,801			
Dec	4,733	4,794			

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r - New March, 1985 benchmark revisions.
NOTE: Beginning in 1974, data are based on the 1972 Standard Industrial Classification Manual.
*Data are not seasonally adjusted.
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

NON-AGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY*
ILLINOIS
(thousands)

			1986*											
	1984	1985	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June^{p}	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Mining	27	29	26	25	26	26	26	26						
Construction	155	181	152	147	156	172	183	190						
Manufacturing	997	981	963	965	966	964	959	960						
Transp. & Publ Util.	278	277	273	272	272	272	273	268						
Wholesale & Ret. Trade	1148	1168	1163	1152	1157	1168	1180	1183						
Fin., Ins., & Real Est.	322	338	337	337	338	340	342	345						
Services	1058	1100	1093	1100	1108	1112	1117	1127						
Government	688	693	679	694	705	713	704	700						
TOTAL	4672	4767	4686	4692	4728	4767	4785	4800						

CHICAGO AREA**
(thousands)

			1986*											
	1983	1984	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June^{p}	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Mining	2	3	2	2	2	2	2	3						
Construction	108	124	106	103	108	118	126	130						
Manufacturing	691	680	666	667	667	666	662	665						
Transp., & Publ. Util.	192	201	201	200	201	201	202	204						
Wholesale & Retail Trade	775	827	831	822	826	829	835	842						
Fin., Ins., & Real Est.	247	258	261	261	262	264	266	269						
Services	776	826	823	826	832	836	843	852						
Government	398	412	415	420	422	422	423	410						
TOTAL	3189	3331	3206	3301	3320	3339	3359	3375						

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*Data are not seasonally adjusted. **Effective with the Jan; 1985 Bi-Meds, the Chicago Area is redefined from an SMSA to the PMSA's of Chicago, Lake, Aurora and Joliet. March, 1985 benchmark date for annual averages and monthly statistics.

p - preliminary, r - revised. Totals may not add to sum of industries due to rounding.

SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY IN MSA'S*
June, 1985 AND 1986

(thousands)

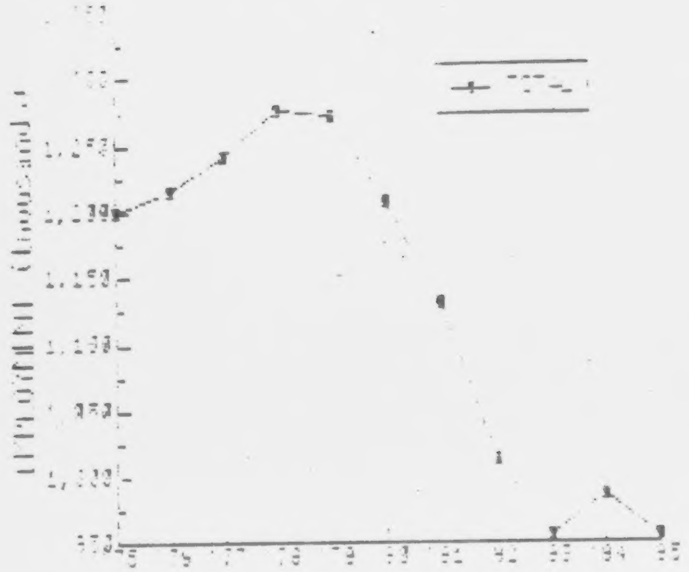
Industry	Bloomington/ Normal		Champaign/ Urbana/Rantoul		Davenport/ Rock Island/ Moline		Decatur		Kankakee		Peoria		Rockford		Springfield	
	1986	1985	1986	1985	1986	1985	1986	1985	1986	1985	1986	1985	1986	1985	1986	1985
Construction	1.1	1.2	1.9	1.9	4.7	4.6	1.7	1.6	1.1	1.2	3.6	5.3	3.5	3.6	2.5	2.5
Manufacturing	4.2	4.4	7.7	7.3	32.7	33.3	14.4	14.7	5.0	5.3	31.0	32.2	44.8	45.4	3.8	4.6
Durable goods	2.2	2.7	2.4	2.1	24.0	24.9	7.7	7.6	2.2	2.2	25.3	26.5	38.8	39.4	1.7	2.6
Nondurable goods	2.0	1.7	5.3	5.2	8.7	8.4	6.7	7.1	2.8	3.1	5.7	5.7	6.0	6.0	2.1	2.0
Trans & Public Utilities	3.1	3.2	2.4	2.3	8.1	8.2	4.5	4.3	1.4	1.4	6.5	6.6	4.6	4.5	4.6	4.6
Wholesale Trade	2.3	2.3	4.1	4.0	10.3	10.3	1.5	1.5	2.1	2.1	7.0	7.1	6.3	6.4	3.6	3.6
Retail Trade	10.4	10.4	15.3	15.1	30.7	30.3	9.3	9.1	5.9	6.0	25.9	25.8	22.0	20.7	15.0	14.9
Finance, Ins. & Real Estate	8.8	8.7	2.5	2.5	7.2	7.2	2.6	2.7	1.6	1.6	8.0	6.8	4.9	4.8	7.8	7.7
Services	10.5	10.5	12.9	13.0	28.4	28.1	9.9	9.6	7.9	7.7	30.4	30.3	22.6	22.3	22.1	21.3
Government	11.1	10.8	33.6	32.4	27.0	26.9	5.5	5.3	6.4	6.8	15.9	15.8	12.1	12.0	31.0	31.0
Total Non-agricultural employment	51.5	51.5	80.8	78.0	149.1	148.9	49.5	48.9	31.5	32.1	128.3	129.9	120.8	119.7	90.5	90.3

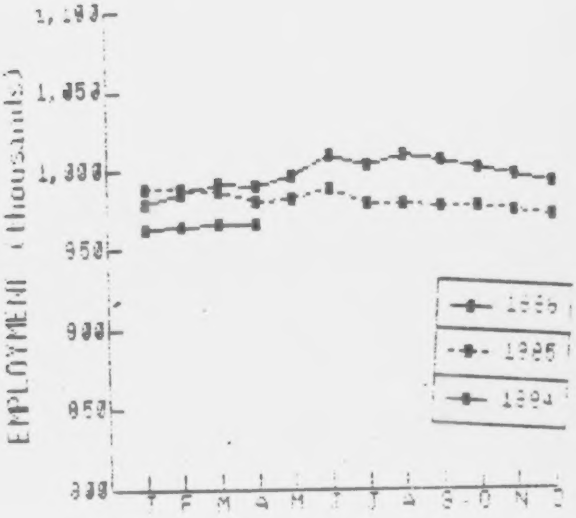
Data are not seasonally adjusted.

*Excludes Chicago, St. Louis, Aurora-Elgin, Joliet and Lake County. March, 1985 benchmark date.

SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

ILLINOIS MANUFACTURING EMPLOYMENT





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(thousands)

MONTH*
(thousands)

Year	Manufacturing Employment Durable	Non-Durable	Total	Total Percent Change Ill.	U.S.	Month	1985	1986	Percent Change from 1 Year Ag Ill.	U.S.
1975	789	411	1,200	-10.8	-8.8	Jan	989	963	-2.6	-1.4
1976	796	419	1,215	1.3	3.7	Feb	988	965	-2.3	-1.2
1977	822	419	1,241	2.1	3.6	Mar	987	966	-2.0	-1.3
1978	847	429	1,276	2.8	4.2	Apr	981	964	-1.7	-1.1
1979	846	425	1,272	-0.3	2.6	May	982	959	-2.3	-1.2
1980	804	404	1,208	-5.0	-3.5	June	988	960	-2.8	-1.4
1981	751	381	1,131	-6.1	-0.6	July	980			
1982	643	370	1,013	-10.4	-6.6	Aug	980			
1983	584	372	956	-6.1	-0.9	Sept	977			
1984	623	374	997	4.3	5.3	Oct	977			
1985	605	377	981	-1.5		Nov	974			
						Dec	971			

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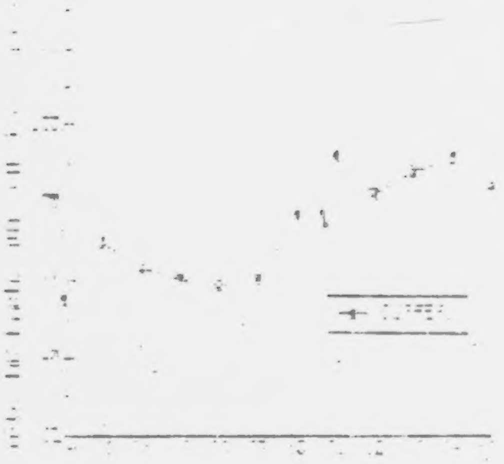
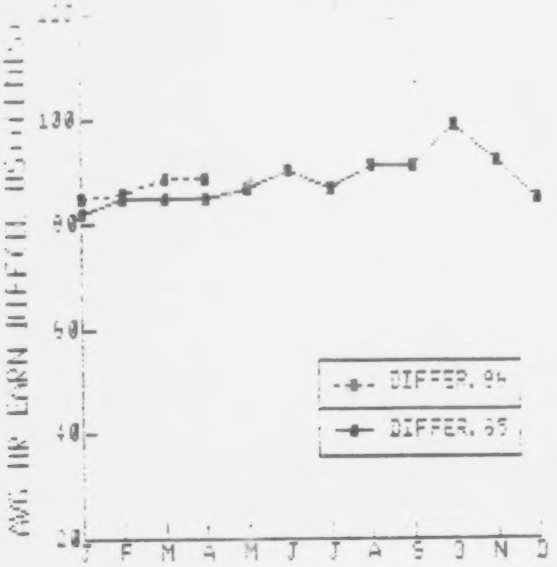
NOTE: Beginning in 1974, data are based on 1972 Standard Industrial Classification Manual.
*Data are not seasonally adjusted.
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

ILLINOIS
HOURS AND EARNINGS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS IN MANUFACTURING





Year	Average Weekly Hours	ANNUAL Average Weekly Wage	Average Hourly Earnings Ill.	Average Hourly Earnings U.S.
1970	40.3	147.03	3.65	3.36
1971	40.1	157.57	3.93	3.56
1972	41.0	175.55	4.28	3.82
1973	41.2	187.85	4.57	4.09
1974	40.4	200.69	4.97	4.42
1975	39.7	219.13	5.53	4.83
1976	40.4	236.11	5.85	5.22
1977	40.6	254.91	6.28	5.68
1978	40.1	271.42	6.76	6.17
1979	40.7	296.66	7.30	6.70
1980	39.8	320.15	8.04	7.28
1981	40.0	356,33	8.91	7.99
1982	39.2	364.86	9.32	8.50
1983	40.6	393.59	9.70	8.82
1984	41.0	412.98	10.08	9.17
1985	40.6	421.13	10.37	9.52
1986				9.90*
1987				10.51**

1986 Month	Average Weekly Hours	MONTH* Average Weekly Wage	Average Hourly Earnings Ill.	Average Hourly Earnings U.S.
Jan	40.7	$428.57	$10.53	$9.68
Feb	40.1	422.65	10.54	9.68
Mar	40.9	433.13	10.59	9.70
Apr	40.6	431.01	10.59	9.70
May	40.7	431.42	10.60	
June	40.8	430.85	10.56	
July				
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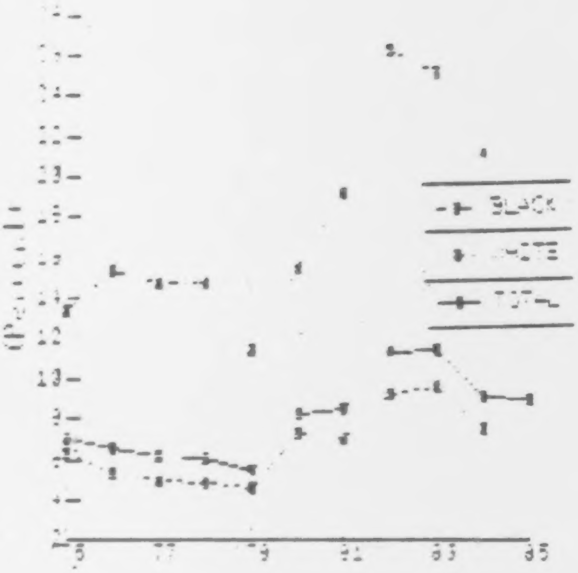
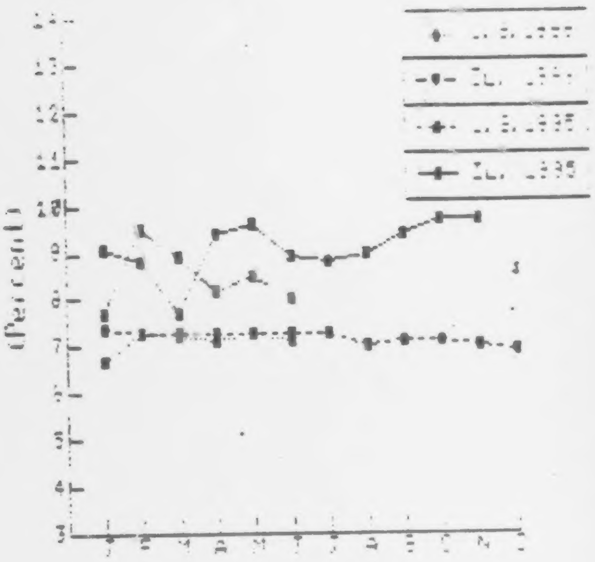
*Data are not seasonally adjusted.

**Chase Econometrics Forecast.

SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security. March, 1984 Benchmark for 1984 annual data; March, 1985 Benchmark for 1985 annual and 1986 monthly data.

ILLINOIS UNEMPLOYMENT RATE





YEAR
PERCENT

Annual	ILLINOIS Total	ILLINOIS White	ILLINOIS Black	U.S. Total	U.S. White	U.S. Black
1970	3.6	3.4	5.9	5.0	4.5	8.2
1971	5.1	4.5	10.2	5.9	5.4	9.9
1972	5.1	4.4	11.0	5.6	5.0	10.0
1973	4.1	3.4	9.6	4.8	4.3	8.9
1974	4.2	NA	NA	5.6	5.0	9.9
1975	7.1	6.3	13.4	8.5	7.8	13.9
1976	6.5	5.3	15.4	7.7	7.0	13.1
1977	6.2	5.0	14.8	7.1	6.2	13.1
1978	6.1	4.8	14.8	6.1	5.2	11.9
1979	5.5	4.6	11.4	5.8	5.1	11.3
1980	8.3	7.3	15.5	7.1	6.3	13.1
1981	8.5	7.1	19.1	7.6	6.7	15.6
1982	11.3	9.2	26.2	9.7	8.6	18.9
1983	11.4	9.6	25.1	9.6	8.4	19.5
1984	9.1	7.5	21.1	7.5	6.5	15.9
1985	9.0			7.2		
1986				7.1, 7.1**		
1987				7.0, 6.8**		

MONTH
TOTAL

Month	ILLINOIS 1986*	ILLINOIS Seasonally Adjusted 1986	U.S. 1986*	U.S. Seasonally Adjusted 1986
Jan	8.6	7.7	7.3	6.7
Feb	10.1	9.5	7.8	7.3
Mar	9.1	8.9	7.5	7.2
Apr	8.2	8.2	7.0	7.1
May	8.2	8.5	7.0	7.3
June	8.4	8.0		7.1
July	7.8	7.8		
Aug				
Sept				
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*Data not seasonally adjusted.

**Chase Econometrics Forecast (JUNE), Data Resources Forecast (JULY).

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Labor.

ILLINOIS UNEMPLOYMENT RATE* IN MSA's**

	Average Annual	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov^{r}	Dec^{r}
BLOOMINGTON-NORMAL: MSA													
1982	7.9	6.8	7.3	8.2	8.0	7.0	8.3	7.6	8.4	8.2	8.1	8.4	8.7
1983	7.8	9.4	9.7	8.6	8.1	8.1	8.5	8.1	7.8	6.2	6.2	6.1	7.3
1984	6.7	7.9	7.3	8.1	6.9	6.4	6.5	6.3	6.4	5.7	6.1	6.2	6.4
1985	6.3^{p}	7.4	7.1	5.9	6.8	6.5	6.3	5.8	5.7	5.3	5.6	6.6	6.1
1986		6.4	7.5	6.9	5.9	6.2	5.8						
CHAMPAIGN-URBANA-RANTOUL: MSA													
1982	5.7	5.2	5.0	5.1	4.9	5.3	5.8	6.3	6.2	5.8	5.7	6.2	6.4
1983	6.5	7.4	7.3	6.7	6.7	6.8	7.5	6.9	7.1	5.3	5.3	5.6	6.0
1984	6.0	7.3	6.7	7.1	6.2	6.0	5.9	5.6	5.7	5.3	5.2	5.5	5.4
1985	5.6^{p}	6.4	6.0	4.9	5.5	6.1	5.8	5.8	5.3	4.9	5.0	5.7	5.2
1986		5.4	5.9	5.3	4.8	4.6	5.1						
CHICAGO AREA:													
1982	10.6	9.4	9.4	9.6	9.6	10.1	11.1	11.5	10.8	11.4	11.1	11.5	11.2
1983	10.5	12.1	12.5	11.4	10.9	10.9	11.8	10.8	10.5	9.2	8.7	8.5	8.5
1984	8.3	9.4	8.8	9.4	8.6	8.1	8.3	6.0	8.0	8.0	8.3	7.4	7.6
1985	7.7^{p}	8.2	8.0	7.0	8.1	8.1	8.0	7.6	7.3	7.4	7.6	7.5	7.0
1986		7.3	8.6	7.9	6.9	6.8	7.0						
DAVENPORT-ROCK ISLAND-MOLINE: MSA (Illinois portion)													
1982	15.8	16.4	11.5	12.2	13.7	12.4	15.2	16.8	15.9	19.8	19.6	20.7	20.7
1983	16.9	21.8	19.9	17.6	17.2	17.1	18.5	16.9	16.0	14.5	14.2	14.5	14.0
1984	14.0	16.6	15.3	12.8	13.6	12.3	12.0	12.0	11.4	13.0	13.6	15.7	17.4
1985	12.8^{p}	18.8	14.8	11.5	12.4	12.0	11.8	11.2	13.3	12.0	12.4	12.3	11.4
1986		13.5	15.3	12.8	11.7	10.4	10.6						
DECATUR: MSA													
1982	15.6	12.3	12.3	12.9	11.8	17.7	15.4	16.1	19.2	16.2	16.5	18.3	17.7
1983	14.9	18.7	19.0	16.5	16.3	16.6	16.5	15.2	13.8	12.1	11.3	11.4	11.3
1984	10.3	12.9	12.0	12.6	10.4	9.6	9.4	10.2	9.3	9.6	9.4	9.2	9.1
1985	10.8^{p}	10.9	10.8	9.7	11.1	11.2	10.9	10.6	10.9	10.9	11.1	11.3	10.5
1986		10.8	12.7	11.6	11.1	11.5	11.3						
PEORIA: MSA													
1982	13.9	9.8	10.7	10.7	11.4	11.9	16.1	16.2	14.9	16.1	16.8	18.3	17.5
1983	16.0	18.4	19.3	17.5	16.4	16.1	18.4	16.6	15.9	14.2	13.3	12.9	12.7
1984	11.3	14.5	13.4	13.7	12.4	11.2	11.0	10.6	10.1	9.7	10.1	9.3	9.7
1985	11.1^{p}	12.1	11.5	10.3	11.8	11.6	11.4	11.2	10.7	10.5	11.0	10.8	9.8
1986		10.1	11.6	10.5	9.2	9.3	9.3						
ROCKFORD: MSA													
1982	16.5	11.9	15.3	12.3	15.1	18.8	19.3	19.3	18.5	16.0	20.6	21.3	17.5
1983	14.2	20.0	17.1	16.2	15.2	14.3	15.2	13.7	12.8	11.1	10.8	13.6	10.3
1984	9.4	11.4	10.8	11.1	10.0	9.0	8.9	8.6	8.5	8.9	9.0	8.3	8.7
1985	9.8^{p}	10.0	9.9	8.7	10.2	10.0	10.0	9.7	9.1	9.8	10.6	10.1	9.0
1986		9.5	10.8	9.9	9.0	9.0	9.0						
SPRINGFIELD: MSA													
1982	7.7	8.3	7.7	7.1	6.5	6.7	7.4	7.4	6.7	7.8	7.9	9.4	9.8
1983	8.3	9.7	10.3	9.8	9.0	8.8	9.2	8.1	7.9	6.7	6.6	6.6	7.4
1984	7.0	8.3	7.7	8.3	7.5	6.7	6.8	6.6	6.2	6.3	6.8	6.0	6.6
1985	6.7^{p}	7.8	7.3	6.0	6.5	6.5	6.6	6.6	6.1	6.4	6.7	7.4	6.8
1986		6.8	8.0	6.9	6.0	5.7	5.8						
ST. LOUIS: MSA (Illinois portion)													
1982	12.2	11.1	11.7	11.3	10.8	10.9	12.2	12.8	11.7	12.9	12.4	13.2	13.5
1983	12.4	14.7	14.8	13.0	12.2	12.4	14.0	13.0	12.6	11.2	10.4	10.4	10.5
1984	10.6	12.8	12.1	12.6	11.2	10.3	10.1	10.0	10.2	9.8	10.2	8.8	9.5
1985	10.2^{p}	11.6	11.3	9.2	10.4	10.6	11.2	10.0	9.6	9.4	9.8	10.4	9.3
1986		9.8	11.9	10.3	8.9	9.2	9.6						

NOTE: For Kankakee and Lake County PMSA data see county. *Data not seasonally adjusted.
SOURCE: Illinois Dept. of Employment Security. p - preliminary / r - revised
**Data for years prior to 1985 are for standard metropolitan statistical areas. Chicago Area from 1985 is defined as an average of rates for the PMSA's of Chicago, Lake, Aurora and Joliet.

ILLINOIS
AVERAGE UNEMPLOYMENT RATE

			1986											
COUNTY	1984	1985	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May[r]	June[p]	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Adams	11.0	11.4	10.6	13.6	11.2	9.4	9.7	9.7						
Alexander	25.7	24.7	23.7	28.2	25.9	23.1	21.3	23.0						
Bond	11.9	12.1	12.4	16.2	13.5	11.2	10.7	11.3						
Boone	7.9	9.9	9.6	10.8	10.3	9.5	8.5	8.0						
Brown	9.6	9.6	9.3	10.7	10.4	8.5	6.9	6.4						
Bureau	9.8	10.0	10.6	13.1	11.8	10.6	9.2	9.0						
Calhoun	21.5	21.1	28.3	34.1	29.8	23.3	20.0	18.8						
Carroll	8.1	12.8	11.0	13.1	11.6	10.4	9.5	9.3						
Cass	9.8	7.6	11.0	12.7	11.1	9.5	8.8	9.0						
Champaign	6.0	5.5	5.4	5.9	5.3	4.8	4.6	5.1						
Christian	10.9	9.7	9.8	11.1	9.6	8.5	9.0	9.1						
Clark	15.9	14.9	15.3	18.8	17.2	13.9	13.5	12.9						
Clay	15.2	14.9	14.6	18.9	18.4	16.5	16.3	16.2						
Clinton	10.9	10.9	10.8	14.1	11.8	8.7	9.4	9.5						
Coles	8.2	9.2	8.7	10.7	9.2	7.7	7.8	8.2						
Cook	8.6	8.6	7.8	9.0	8.2	7.8	8.0	8.2						
Crawford	13.5	16.3	17.6	19.2	16.9	15.5	15.5	16.0						
Cumberland	13.3	12.0	13.8	16.4	13.8	11.9	10.9	10.6						
DeKalb	6.7	7.2	7.3	8.6	7.7	6.2	6.0	6.7						
DeWitt	10.0	11.2	11.7	13.8	13.7	12.5	14.8	16.2						
Douglas	7.8	8.9	9.3	11.5	9.5	7.6	6.9	7.5						
DuPage	6.2	5.8	5.6	6.6	6.1	5.3	5.4	5.7						
Edgar	15.7	15.7	14.7	17.0	14.7	14.1	12.1	11.6						
Edwards	11.1	11.8	10.7	15.8	14.8	14.1	14.8	13.7						
Effingham	10.7	10.9	12.9	14.7	12.8	10.2	9.7	8.8						
Fayette	16.4	14.5	15.8	18.9	18.3	15.8	15.0	13.7						
Ford	9.8	7.8	9.4	11.6	10.5	8.2	6.5	6.4						
Franklin	16.6	15.7	14.0	17.2	15.1	13.7	13.9	14.9						
Fulton	14.9	13.0	12.9	14.6	13.1	11.3	11.2	10.4						
Gallatin	19.4	16.7	18.0	21.2	20.5	18.2	18.8	19.8						
Greene	10.8	10.0	11.0	13.8	11.9	10.3	9.2	9.7						
Grundy	9.8	10.2	10.6	12.7	11.7	9.8	7.8	8.6						
Hamilton	18.9	19.5	17.3	23.0	21.4	19.2	20.0	21.4						
Hancock	10.2	10.0	12.2	14.9	12.3	10.2	9.5	8.9						
Hardin	18.0	16.6	17.6	21.1	16.5	17.5	15.1	16.0						
Henderson	12.2	12.3	13.0	14.9	13.4	12.2	10.8	11.6						
Henry	12.9	12.5	15.6	17.4	14.1	12.5	10.6	10.1						
Iroquois	8.9	8.8	10.7	12.4	11.1	8.7	7.6	8.8						
Jackson	8.7	8.8	9.2	10.4	9.4	7.8	8.0	8.4						
Jasper	12.5	12.8	12.2	14.4	12.8	9.1	10.2	14.0						
Jefferson	13.6	14.2	14.2	16.8	15.5	13.7	13.3	14.0						
Jersey	12.8	12.5	12.0	14.7	13.1	9.9	10.0	9.8						
Jo Daviess	8.8	9.7	12.1	13.5	12.1	10.2	8.5	7.0						
Johnson	17.7	14.4	14.3	17.4	14.7	11.3	15.3	15.1						
Kane	7.9	8.0	7.9	9.7	9.0	7.5	6.9	7.2						
Kankakee	12.2	11.6	11.9	13.5	11.8	11.1	10.9	10.7						
Kendall	6.6	7.4	6.9	8.8	8.1	6.9	7.5	7.3						
Knox	13.1	15.8	15.5	18.2	16.5	14.1	13.0	12.9						
Lake	6.1	6.0	5.8	6.7	6.0	5.1	5.2	5.3						
LaSalle	12.7	13.4	13.1	15.1	13.8	11.6	11.3	11.8						
Lawrence	12.6	17.3	20.9	25.0	22.7	19.9	19.2	20.8						
Lee	11.3	10.1	10.6	12.3	12.1	9.9	9.5	9.1						

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r: revised
p: preliminary
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security

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AVERAGE UNEMPLOYMENT RATE

			1986											
COUNTY	1984	1985	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May^{r}	June^{p}	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Livingston	8.8	11.5	9.3	11.3	9.7	7.9	7.0	7.1						
Logan	9.6	7.4	9.5	11.7	9.3	7.3	7.5	6.5						
Macon	10.3	10.8	10.8	12.7	11.6	11.1	11.5	11.3						
Macoupin	10.8	11.0	11.8	14.6	13.0	10.2	9.7	9.9						
Madison	10.9	10.5	10.0	11.9	10.4	9.0	9.4	10.0						
Marion	13.2	13.7	14.4	17.4	17.1	14.1	14.1	13.6						
Marshall	9.8	10.0	9.5	10.5	10.0	8.1	7.2	7.1						
Mason	10.7	11.1	11.8	13.9	12.4	10.4	10.6	11.2						
Massac	15.2	14.6	13.9	15.8	14.5	14.2	13.1	13.3						
McDonough	11.1	10.2	8.8	9.6	9.0	7.4	8.3	10.1						
McHenry	7.3	8.0	8.8	10.3	8.9	6.9	5.9	5.9						
McLean	6.7	6.3	6.4	7.5	6.9	5.9	6.2	5.8						
Menard	6.0	6.9	9.0	9.9	7.6	5.8	5.4	4.7						
Mercer	14.1	12.4	14.8	16.9	14.9	12.8	10.2	11.4						
Monroe	9.4	8.7	9.0	12.1	9.2	7.5	8.5	8.4						
Montgomery	14.7	14.2	14.1	16.9	15.1	12.4	11.1	11.8						
Morgan	8.5	8.3	9.3	11.0	10.3	8.9	7.8	7.9						
Moultrie	8.6	7.8	8.2	10.7	9.4	7.3	8.6	8.1						
Ogle	9.4	9.9	11.1	14.1	13.1	11.4	10.4	10.4						
Peoria	11.3	11.1	10.0	11.6	10.6	9.4	9.3	9.5						
Perry	14.9	14.4	17.2	19.3	17.5	15.2	13.0	13.2						
Piatt	8.9	8.1	10.7	12.8	11.9	10.1	9.8	9.8						
Pike	13.9	12.7	12.7	14.7	12.8	11.6	12.1	12.9						
Pope	17.2	16.4	17.1	20.5	17.6	13.6	12.5	12.8						
Pulaski	22.0	22.9	21.9	25.1	22.6	18.2	21.3	22.4						
Putnam	11.0	11.9	14.5	16.7	14.8	11.1	9.8	10.2						
Randolph	10.5	9.3	9.4	11.3	10.3	8.9	10.5	10.2						
Richland	15.1	17.8	17.5	24.7	19.4	18.5	19.0	21.3						
Rock Isld	14.4	13.0	12.8	14.6	12.4	11.4	10.3	10.8						
St. Clair	10.2	9.8	9.3	11.5	9.9	8.9	9.0	9.4						
Saline	15.9	15.0	15.6	18.5	16.6	15.9	15.9	16.0						
Sangamon	7.1	6.7	6.6	7.8	6.8	6.0	5.7	5.9						
Schuyler	12.3	10.1	11.2	13.5	12.2	10.2	8.1	8.4						
Scott	9.5	10.1	13.2	16.2	12.7	9.3	7.1	8.0						
Shelby	12.8	11.5	12.5	14.7	13.1	10.9	10.4	10.0						
Stark	9.5	9.5	10.0	12.2	10.6	7.6	7.2	7.4						
Stephenson	7.6	9.8	10.0	11.0	9.5	7.5	7.8	8.5						
Tazewell	11.9	11.5	10.6	12.1	10.8	9.4	10.1	9.8						
Union	16.7	14.8	17.0	21.6	18.8	15.6	15.0	14.1						
Vermilion	13.0	14.0	13.4	15.7	15.1	13.4	12.1	12.6						
Wabash	10.4	12.2	10.2	13.3	13.9	12.4	13.5	13.8						
Warren	11.1	11.2	11.4	13.3	11.6	9.2	9.6	16.0						
Washington	12.1	10.1	10.2	12.9	11.7	10.0	8.4	8.7						
Wayne	16.4	16.9	16.1	20.4	19.8	18.4	18.3	18.9						
White	17.2	16.7	17.4	21.6	21.3	20.4	20.7	21.2						
Whiteside	12.2	12.7	11.7	12.5	11.0	9.6	9.3	9.4						
Will	8.6	8.3	7.8	9.1	8.2	7.3	7.4	7.6						
Williamson	17.4	17.7	17.0	19.9	18.1	16.5	14.5	14.8						
Winnebago	9.6	9.8	9.4	10.7	9.8	8.9	9.1	9.1						
Woodford	8.9	9.1	8.4	10.2	8.6	6.7	6.1	5.9						

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*Data not seasonally adjusted.

SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

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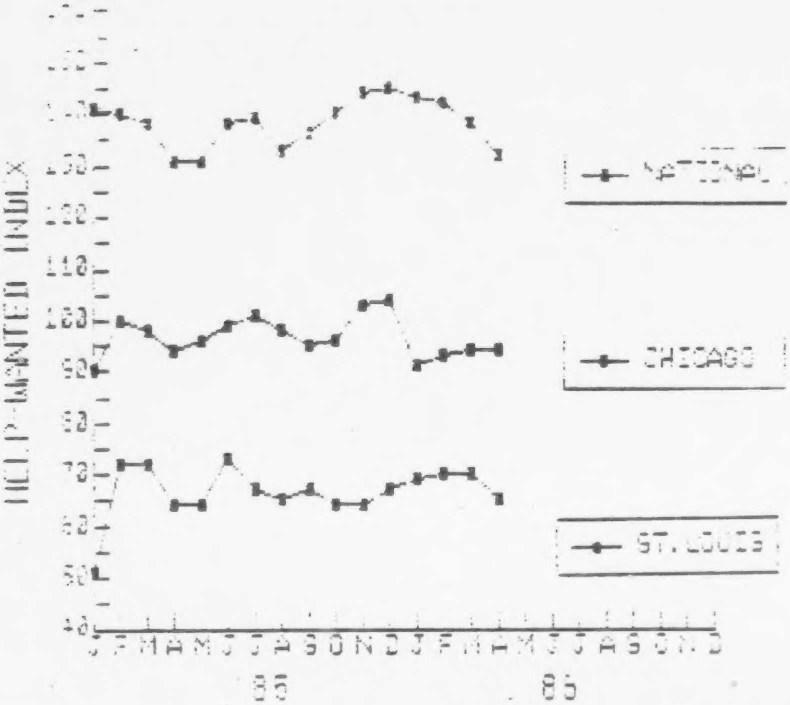
HELP-WANTED ADVERTISING INDEXES



HELP-WANTED ADVERTISING INDEXES* -
(Seasonally Adjusted, 1967=100)

Area		J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
National Index (51 Papers)	1985	141	140	138	131	131	138	139	133	136	140	144	145
	1986	143	142	138	132								
East North Central (10 Papers)	1985	83	88	88	83	85	90	90r	86	85	86	93	96
	1986	90	92	91	90								
Chicago	1985	90	100	98	94	96	99	101	98	95	96	103	104
	1986	91	93	94	94								
St. Louis**	1985	51	72	72	64	64	73	67	65	67	64	64	67
	1986	69	70	70	65								

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*The monthly classified help-wanted advertising total for one newspaper in each of 51 cities is used as the basis for city indexes and the national index is a composite of all 51 city indexes.

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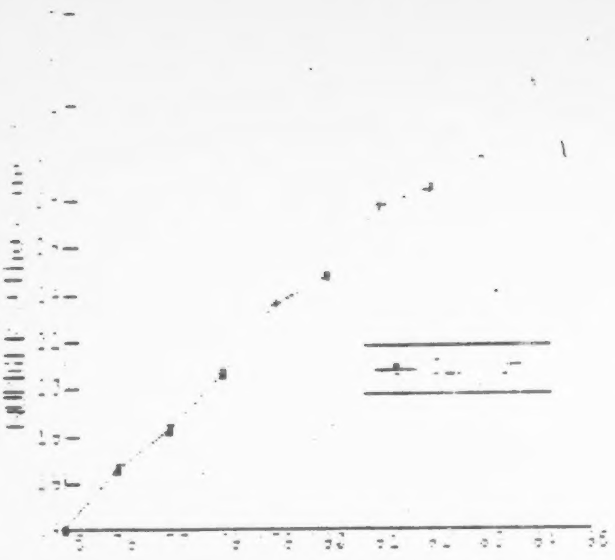
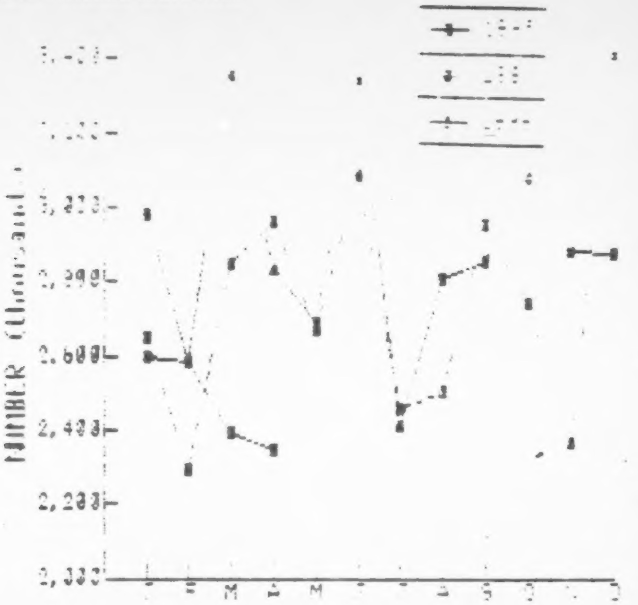
**St. Louis is in the West North Central region.
SOURCE: The Conference Board.

ILLINOIS NEW BUSINESS INCORPORATIONS





Year	Ill. Number	Percent Change ILL.	Percent Change U.S.
1970	8,585	1.5	-3.6
1971	10,116	17.8	9.1
1972	12,106	19.7	10.1
1973	12,376	2.2	3.8
1974	11,720	-5.3	-3.0
1975	14,022	19.6	2.2
1976	16,573	18.2	15.3
1977	18,291	10.4	16.1
1978	20,638	12.8	9.6
1979	23,559	14.2	9.7
1980	24,804	5.3	1.7
1981	27,632	11.4	9.0
1982	28,469	3.0	-2.5
1983	29,952	5.2	5.9
1984	32,948	10.0	5.8
1985	34,691	5.3	5.3

Month	1984	1985	1986	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago ILL.	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago U.S.
Jan	2,649	2,977	2,598	-12.7	9.4
Feb	2,295	2,584	2,584	6.7	11.5
Mar	2,251	3,358	2,392	-28.8	6.1
Apr	2,961	2,837	2,349	-17.2	8.1
May	2,667	2,688	2,352	-12.5	-0.6
June	3,087	3,336			
July	2,459	2,415			
Aug	2,507	2,807			
Sept	2,951	2,858			
Oct	2,740	3,078			
Nov	2,366	2,879			
Dec	3,415	2,874			

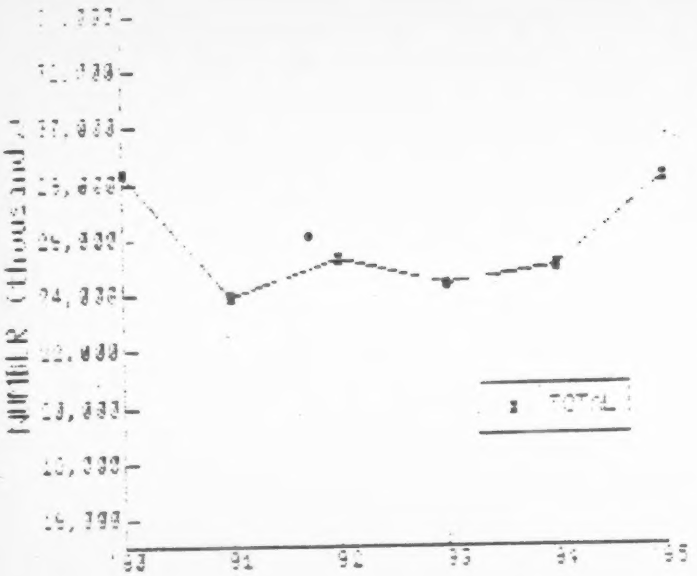
*Data are not seasonally adjusted.

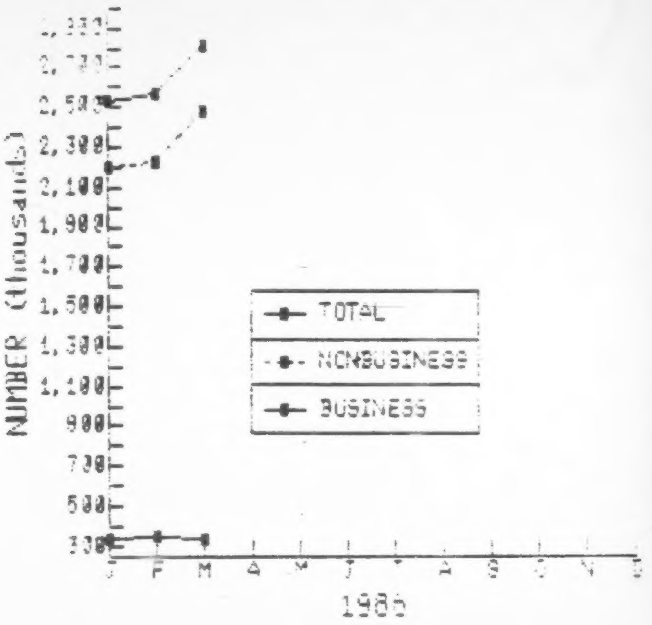
REGIONAL COMPOSITION
Percent of Total

Region	1979	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985
New England	4.5	4.8	4.7	4.8	5.0	5.7
Middle Atlantic	17.2	16.5	16.8	17.5	17.7	18.0
E. North Central	13.3	13.0	13.2	13.1	13.3	13.5
W. North Central	6.2	5.5	5.2	5.4	5.2	4.8
South Atlantic	21.9	22.8	23.2	24.1	24.8	25.2
E. South Central	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.9
W. South Central	11.6	11.9	13.1	11.5	9.9	9.6
Mountain	6.9	7.5	7.1	7.2	7.3	6.9
Pacific	14.6	14.2	13.0	12.6	13.0	12.4
U.S.	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

SOURCE: Dun & Bradstreet, Inc.

BANKRUPTCY FILINGS BY DISTRICT AND TYPE





Annual	Business Filings No.	Business Filings Cen.	Business Filings So.	Nonbusiness Filings No.	Nonbusiness Filings Cen.	Nonbusiness Filings So.	Total Filings
1980	2377	821	343	17,513	5175	2115	28,344
1981	1698	693	263	15,567	3826	1909	23,956
1982	2232	879	389	16,435	4067	1313	25,315
1983	2199	917	438	15,623	4023	1203	24,403
1984	2012	1099	534	15,994	4154	1194	24,987
1985	2031	1422	549	17,883	4765	1465	28,115

1985 Month	Business	Nonbusiness	Total
Jan	333	2199	2532
Feb	341	2220	2561
Mar	331	2481	2812
Apr			
May			
Jun			
Jul			
Aug			
Sep			
Oct			
Nov			
Dec			

SOURCE: U.S. District Courts

ILLINOIS
MANUFACTURING PRODUCTION AND PRODUCTIVITY

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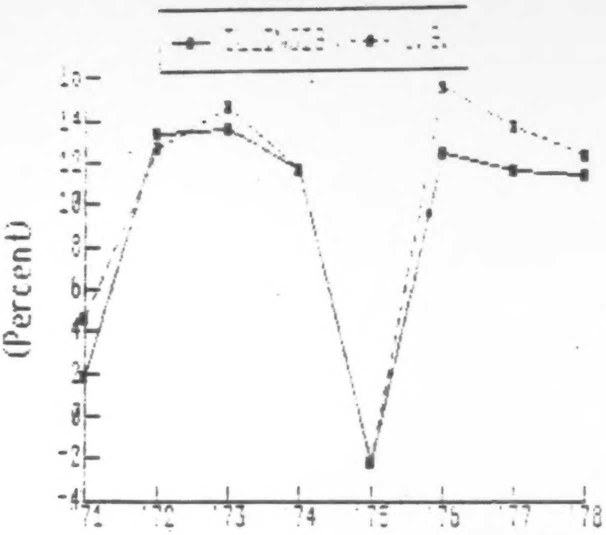
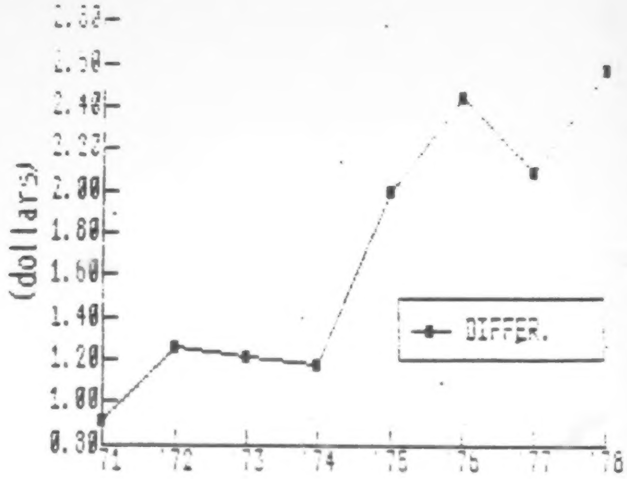


PRODUCTIVITY*
(Ill. minus U.S.)



	--------PRODUCTION-------						----U.S. MANUFACTURING---	
Year	VALUE ADDED (million)	PERCENT CHANGE Ill.	U.S.	Inventories Ill. End of Year (million)	-PRODUCTIVITY*- Ill.	U.S.	Industrial Production Index (1977=100)	Capacity Utilization Rate^{r} (Percent)
1975	32,089	-2.2	-2.2	11,198	20.38	18.38	83.4	72.3
1976	36,085	12.5	15.6	11,952	22.62	20.17	91.9	77.4
1977	40,279	11.6	13.7	13,028	24.02	21.93	100.0	81.4
1978	44,854	11.4	12.4	13,949	26.31	23.75	107.1	84.2
1979	NA	NA	13.7	NA	NA	26.39	111.5	84.6
1980	NA	NA	3.5	NA	NA	28.93	108.2	79.3
1981	NA	NA	8.2	19,046	NA	31.93	110.5	78.3
1982	47,705	NA	-1.6	17,394	37.97	35.01	102.2	70.3
'983	49,734	4.2	7.0	17,207	40.59	37.38	110.2	74.0
384							121.8	80.8
.985							124.5	80.3
1986 (est.)							125.1	79.2

--U.S. MANUFACTURING-- (SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)

MONTHLY DATA	Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Industrial Prod. Index	'84	119.6	121.0	122.0	122.8	123.2	124.1	125.4	125.9	125.6	125.5	126.0	125.8
	'85	121.2	125.2	126.4	125.9	126.6	127.1	126.8	127.0	127.9	127.5	128.1	129.3
	'86	129.8	128.8	128.0	128.9	128.6	128.0	128.0					
Capacity Utilization Rate (%)	'84^{r}	79.2	80.0	80.4	80.7	80.7	81.1	81.7	81.8	81.3	81.1	81.2	80.9
	'85	80.7	80.4	80.5	80.5	80.3	80.1	80.1	80.7	80.4	79.6	80.1	80.5
	'86	80.7	80.0	79.1	79.5	79.2	78.6						

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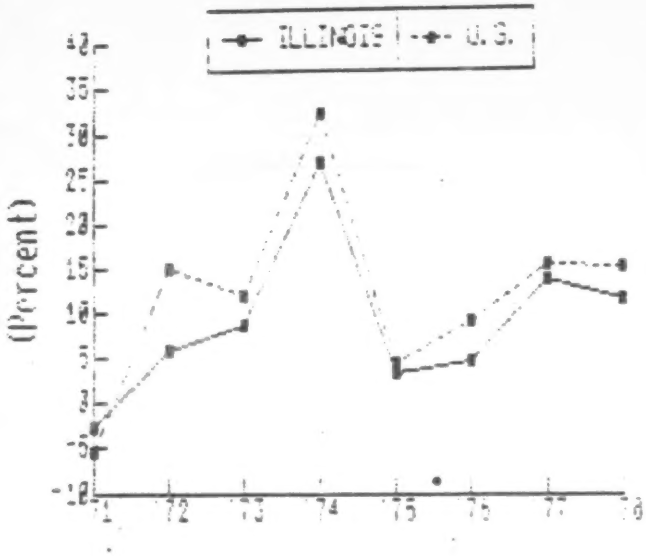
*Value of Production (Value Added) per manhour of work.

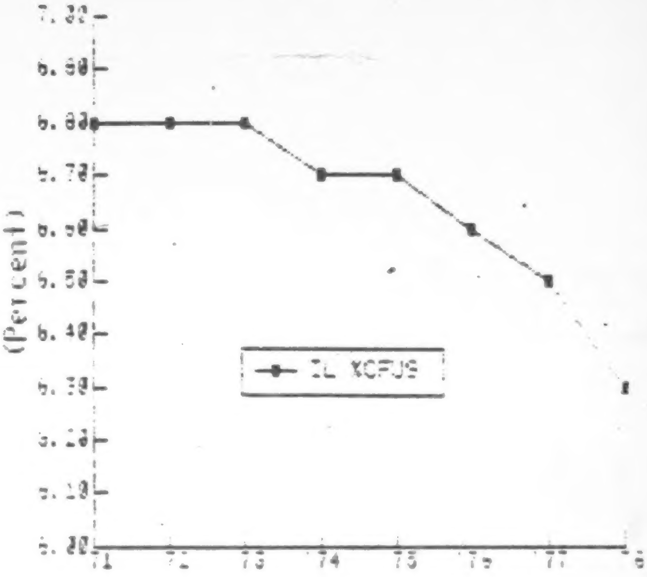
SOURCE: U.S. Department of Commerce, Federal Reserve System.

ILLINOIS CAPITAL IN MANUFACTURING

NEW CAPITAL EXPENDITURES
(Annual Percent Change)



GROSS BOOK VALUE OF DEPRECIABLE ASSETS
(Illinois as Percent of U.S.)



Year	Structures and Additions (Millions of Dollars)	Machinery and Equipment (Millions of Dollars)	Total (Millions of Dollars)	Total % Change Ill.	Total % Change U.S.	Structures and Buildings (Millions of Dollars)	Machinery and Equipment (Millions of Dollars)	Total (Millions of Dollars)	Illinois Percent of U.S.
1975	494	1,734	2,229	3.4	2.3	7,172	17,486	24,658	6.7
1976	575	1,760	2,335	4.8	9.1	7,551	18,423	25,974	6.6
1977	531	2,131	2,662	14.0	15.3	8,029	20,298	28,327	6.5
1978	555	2,421	2,976	11.8	16.5	8,378	21,988	30,366	6.3
1979	NA	NA	NA	NA	22.1	NA	NA	NA	NA
1980	NA	NA	NA	NA	17.1	NA	NA	NA	NA
1981	NA	NA	NA	NA	12.7	9,830	27,664	37,494	5.8
1982	556	2,815	3,372	NA	-4.6	10,107	29,245	39,352	5.7
1983			2,936		-3.7				
1984					13.8				
1985					7.6				
1986**					-1.3				

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*Estimate prepared by Illinois Department of Commerce and Community Affairs.

**Business plans to increase plant and equipment spending -- U.S. Dept. of Commerce survey (MAY).

SOURCE: Annual Survey of Manufacturers, U.S. Department of Commerce.

INTEREST RATES
(Average Percent)

				1986											
INSTRUMENT	1983	1984	1985	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Federal Funds	9.06	10.22	8.10	8.14	7.86	7.48	6.99	6.85	6.92	6.56					
Discount Rate (NY Fed.)	8.50	8.80	7.69	7.50	7.50	7.10	6.83	6.50	6.50	6.16					
Prime Rate	11.16	12.04	9.93	9.50	9.50	9.10	8.83	8.50	8.50	8.16					
U.S. Treas. Bills (Secondary Market)															
3 month	8.61	9.52	7.48	7.07	7.06	6.56	6.06	6.12	6.21	5.83					
6 month	8.73	9.76	7.65	7.16	7.11	6.57	6.08	6.16	6.27	5.86					
Eurodollar Depos. (3 mo.)	9.56	10.73	8.28	8.02	8.94	7.43	6.80								
Bankers Accept. (90 day)	1.89	8.90	7.92	7.62	7.54	7.09	6.48	6.54	6.60	6.23					
Commercial Paper															
1 month	8.87	10.05	7.94	7.78	7.70	7.30	6.75	6.72	6.79	6.42					
3 month	8.88	10.10	7.95	7.71	7.63	7.20	6.60	6.63	6.71	6.33					
6 month	8.89	10.16	8.01	7.62	7.54	7.08	6.47	6.53	6.63	6.24					
Certificates of Deposit															
3 month	9.07	10.37	8.05	7.82	7.69	7.24	6.60	6.65	6.73	6.37					
6 month	9.27	10.68	8.25	7.83	7.70	7.23	6.57	6.64	6.72	6.36					
U.S. Treasury Bonds															
1 year	9.57	10.89	8.43	7.73	7.61	7.03	6.44	6.65	6.73	6.27					
3 year	10.45	11.89	9.64	8.41	8.10	7.30	6.86	7.27	7.41	6.86					
10 year	11.10	12.44	10.62	9.19	8.70	7.78	7.30	7.71	7.80	7.30					
State & Local Bonds															
Moody's Aaa	8.80	9.61	8.60	7.70	7.26										
"Bond Buyer" Series	9.51	10.10	9.10	8.08	7.44	7.08	7.20	7.54	7.87	7.51					
Corporate Bonds Aaa	12.04	12.71	11.37	10.05	9.67	9.00	8.79	NA	9.13	8.88					
A - rated Utility Bond*	12.73	13.81	12.06	10.74	10.20	9.41	9.26	9.50	9.65	9.57					
Conventional Mortgages	13.43	13.87		10.88	10.71	10.08	9.94	10.14	10.68	10.51					
Dividend/Price Ratio															
Preferred Stocks	11.02	11.59	10.44	9.85	9.62	9.13	8.97								
Common Stocks	4.40	4.64	4.25	3.90	3.72	3.50	3.43								

* Changed from Aaa utility bonds because series was discontinued in January 1984.

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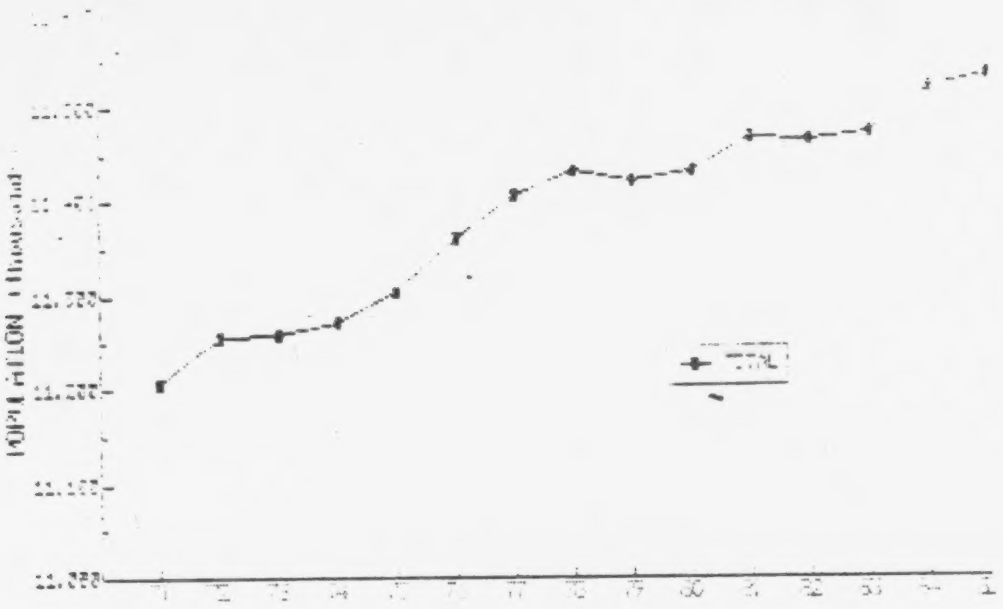
SOURCE: Federal Reserve System.

ILLINOIS POPULATION



POPULATION
(thousands)

RESIDENT POPULATION OF ILLINOIS

					Components of Change			Total Percent Change	
Year		Total	Change	Black	Births	Deaths	Net Migration	Ill.	U.S.
1970	(July 1 EST.)	11,125*		1,420	205,472	110,680	-13,800		
1971	(July 1 EST.)	11,206	+81		195,322	109,848	-33,500	0.7	1.5
1972	(July 1 EST.)	11,258	+52		178,222	111,298	-64,900	0.5	1.2
1973	(July 1 EST.)	11,260	+ 2	1,499	169,249	110,510	-44,700	0.0	1.0
1974	(July 1 EST.)	11,274	+14		169,215	108,171	-29,000	0.1	0.9
1975	(July 1 EST.)	11,306	+32	1,534	169,420	103,552	-11,900	0.3	1.0
1976	(July 1 EST.)	11,360	+54		170,257	103,665	-20,600	0.5	1.0
1977	(July 1 EST.)	11,406	+46		177,393	103,423	-45,900	0.4	1.0
1978	(July 1 EST.)	11,434	+28		174,509	103,026	-82,500	0.2	1.1
1979	(July 1 EST.)	11,423	-11		184,210	102,227	-71,900	-0.1	1.1
1980	(July 1 EST.)	11,433*	+10	1,675	190,058	N/A	N/A	0.1	1.2
1981	(July 1 EST.)	11,467	+34		N/A	N/A	-64,000	0.3	1.0
1982	(July 1 EST.)	11,466	-1				-86,000	0.0	1.0
1983	(July 1 EST.)	11,474	+8		N/A	N/A	-62,000	0.1	0.9
1984	(July 1 EST.)	11,522	+48				-35,000	0.4	0.9
1985	(July 1 PROV.)	11,535	+13				N/A	0.1	0.9

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*April 1, 1970 Census 11,110,258.
April 1, 1980 Census 11,426,518.

			U.S. Department of Commerce	
PROJECTIONS	Bureau of the Budget	National Planning Assoc.	Projection	Percent of U.S. Total
1985	11,585	N/A	N/A	N/A
1990	11,688	N/A	11,617	4.66
2000	12,091	11,900	11,774	4.40
2010	12,554	N/A	N/A	N/A

SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of the Census - Estimates and Projections.

ILLINOIS EXPORTS

AGRICULTURE
(millions)

Product	FY 1972	FY 1982	FY 1985	1985 Ill. as % of U.S.
Soybean & Prod.	$404	$1482	$ 804	15.3
Feed Grains	214	1284	1195	15.8
Wheat & Flour	28	309	121	2.7
Meats & Prod.	13	45	38	3.3
Hides & Skins	8	26	36	2.9
Fats & Oils	10	22	19	3.1
Other	81	81	79	1.2
TOTAL	$758	$3313	$2339	7.5
ILLINOIS RANK	(1)	(2)	(3)	

EMPLOYMENT RELATED TO EXPORTS
(thousands)

	1977	1981	1983
Agriculture*	75.6	72.6	N/A
Manufacturing	140.1	157.0	108.9
Trade	30.9	48.0	39.7
Business Services	15.2	32.6	16.5
Transp., Com., & Util.	13.0	15.5	11.6
Other	21.7	22.3	19.7
TOTAL	296.5	348.0	
Percent of Total Employment	6.0%	6.8%	

MANUFACTURING EXPORTS
(million dollars)

	1977			1983			Total Exports as % of Ill. Shpmts.	Employment Related to Mfg. Exports (thousands)	
	Direct	Indirect	Total	Direct	Indirect	Total	1983	1977	1983
Machines, exc. Elec.	2,892	566	3,458	2139	662	2801	20.2	40.8	26.6
Primary Metal	186	1,088	1,273	222	1090	1312	18.2	14.0	9.5
Chemical & Allied	407	353	760	568	784	1352	12.0	6.7	5.4
Elec. Equip.	532	315	847	796	370	1166	11.6	17.4	15.5
Food & Kindred	736	196	932	818	291	1109	5.5	3.5	2.8
Fabricated Metal	323	594	917	315	733	1048	10.6	15.8	12.3
Transp. Equip.	461	93	554	557	155	712	11.4	4.9	4.7
Rubber & Plastic	74	143	217	159	276	434	11.2	4.5	4.2
Petroleum & Coal	53	145	198	38	361	399	3.7	0.3	0.3
Instruments	254	57	312	243	67	310	12.5	6.7	4.3
Paper & Allied	35	141	176	33	238	270	7.6	2.5	2.3
Other	360	212	572	474	293	770	4.9	23.0	21.0
TOTAL	6,313	3,903	10,216	6,363	5,320	11,683	10.1	140.1	108.9

TOTAL EXPORTS (millions)

	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985
Agriculture	$2,752	$2,812	$2,923	$3,645	$3,614	$3,313	$2,950	$2,930	$2,339
Manufacturing	10,216	10,511*	13,695*	16,445	17,039	16,511*	11,683	NA	
Direct)	(6,313)	NA	NA	(10,084)	(10,369)	(9,300)	(6,362)	NA	
Indirect	(3,903)	NA	NA	(6,360)	(6,670)	(7,211)	(5,320)		
Gross Total	12,788	13,323	16,618	20,090	20,653	19,824	14,633		
Less Duplication**	-1029	-1,062*	-1,397*	-1,796	-1,534	-1,438	1,109		
Net Total	$11,759	$12,261	$15,221	$18,294	$19,119	$18,386	$13,524		
ILLINOIS RANK	(2)	(NA)	(NA)	(3)	(3)	(NA)	(5)		

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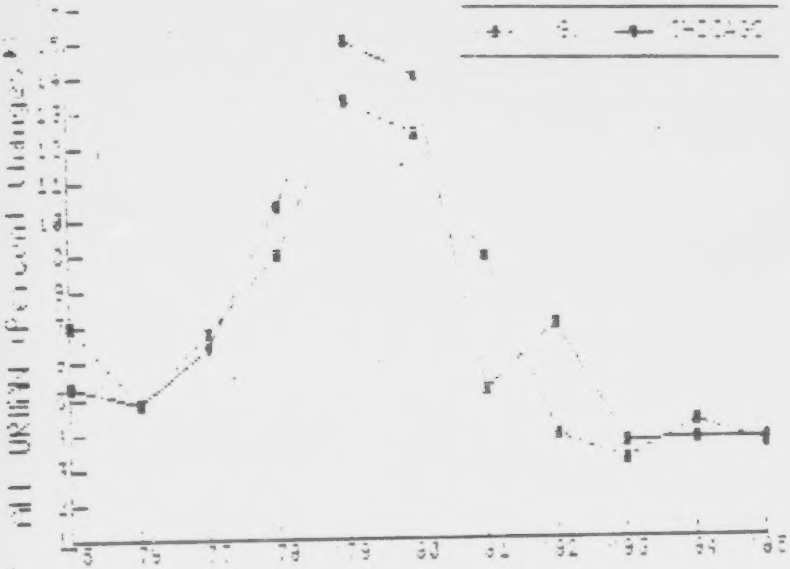
*Estimates prepared by Department of Commerce and Community Affairs

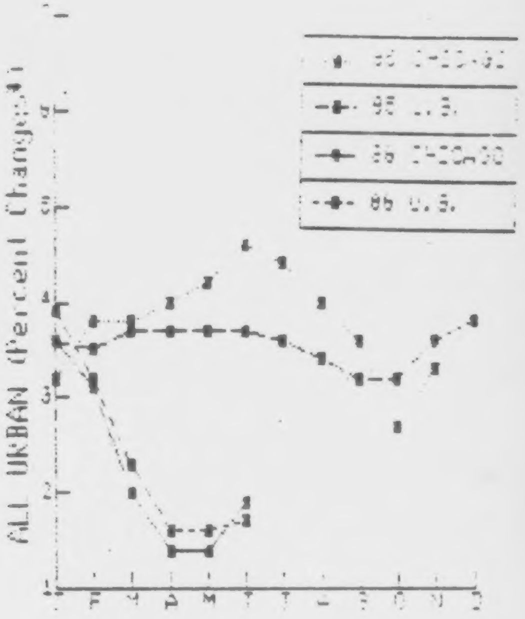
**Both Agriculture and Manufacturing include processed foods.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Agriculture, U.S. Department of Commerce.

U.S. AND CHICAGO/NORTHWESTERN INDIANA
CONSUMER PRICE INDEX
ALL ITEMS



ALL URBAN
ANNUAL
(1967=100)



1986
MONTH
(1967=100)

Year	U.S.	CHICAGO	% Change from Preceeding Period* U.S.	% Change from Preceeding Period* CHICAGO
1971	121.3	120.8	3.4	2.6
1972	125.3	124.3	3.4	3.1
1973	133.1	132.0	8.8	8.5
1974	147.7	146.1	12.2	12.0
1975	161.2	157.6	7.0	5.3
1976	170.5	165.1	4.8	4.8
1977	181.5	175.6	6.8	6.4
1978	195.4	190.7	9.0	10.3
1979	217.4	214.6	13.3	15.0
1980	246.8	245.5	12.4	14.0
1981	272.4	269.0	8.9	5.2
1982	289.1	287.4	6.2	7.0
1983	298.4	298.8	3.2	3.7
1984	311.1	310.1	4.3	3.3
1985	322.2	321.8	3.5	3.8
1986**			2.1, 1.7	
1987**			3.8, 2.1	

	ALL URBAN				URBAN WAGE EARNERS			
	U.S.		CHICAGO		U.S.		CHICAGO	
Mo.	INDEX	% Chge from 1 yr. ago	INDEX	% Chge from 1 yr. ago	INDEX	% Chge from 1 yr. ago	INDEX	% Chge from 1 yr. ago
Jan	328.4	3.9	326.3	3.6	324.3	3.7	312.9	3.4
Feb	327.5	3.2	324.4	3.1	323.2	3.0	312.8	2.9
Mar	326.0	2.3	323.9	2.0	321.4	1.9	309.7	1.6
Apr	325.3	1.6	323.7	1.4	320.4	1.2	309.1	0.9
May	326.3	1.6	324.2	1.4	321.4	1.1	309.6	0.9
June	327.9	1.7	330.4	1.9	323.0	1.3	315.6	1.5
July								
Aug								
Sept								
Oct								
Nov								
Dec								

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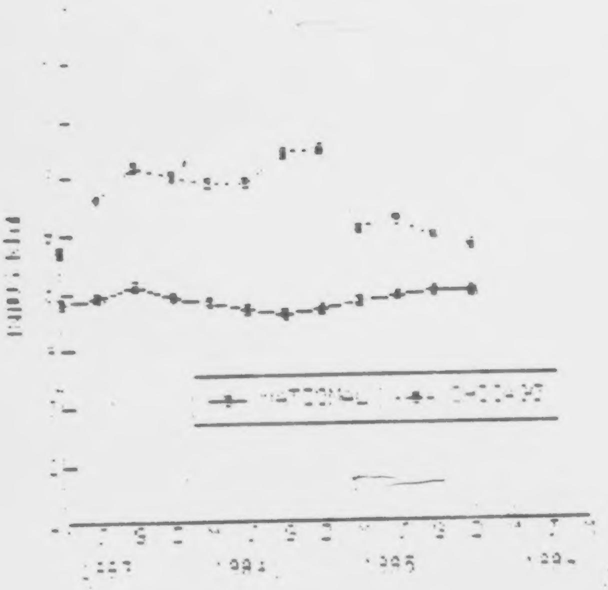
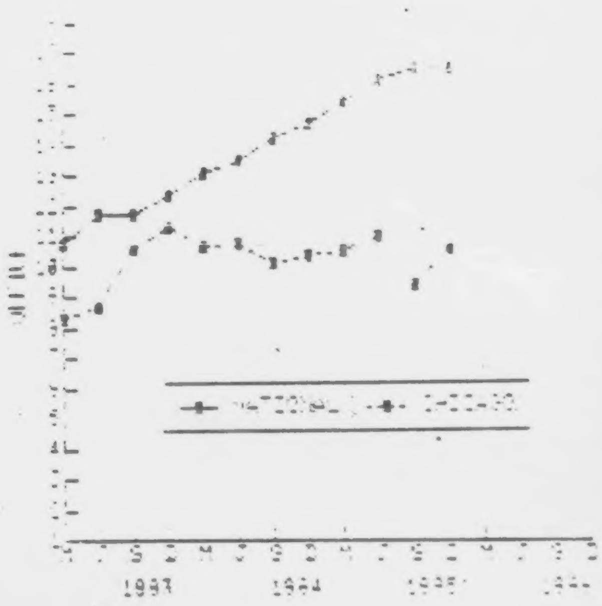
*Annual changes are from Dec. to Dec. (unadjusted).

**Chase Econometric Forecast (JUNE), Data Resources Forecast (JULY), Average annual changes.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Labor.

INDUSTRIAL AND OFFICE VACANCY RATES





INDUSTRIAL VACANCY RATES**

	1984				1985				1986							
	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D
National	4.8	4.7	4.6	4.7	4.8	4.9	5.0	5.0	5.3							
Chicago	6.9	6.9	7.4	7.5	6.1	6.2	5.9	5.8	6.2							
Southern California	5.0	5.3	5.0	5.4	5.7	6.3	6.3	6.5	5.4							
Philadelphia	4.7	4.3	3.5	3.5	3.7	3.4	3.0	3.5	3.8							
Houston^r	5.4	4.8	6.0	7.7	13.5	14.8	15.0	14.1	14.2							
St. Louis^r	6.2	5.2	4.7	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.3	6.3							

*Percentage of vacant or available space to total amount of industrial space in buildings of 100,000 sq. ft. or more in 19 metro areas.

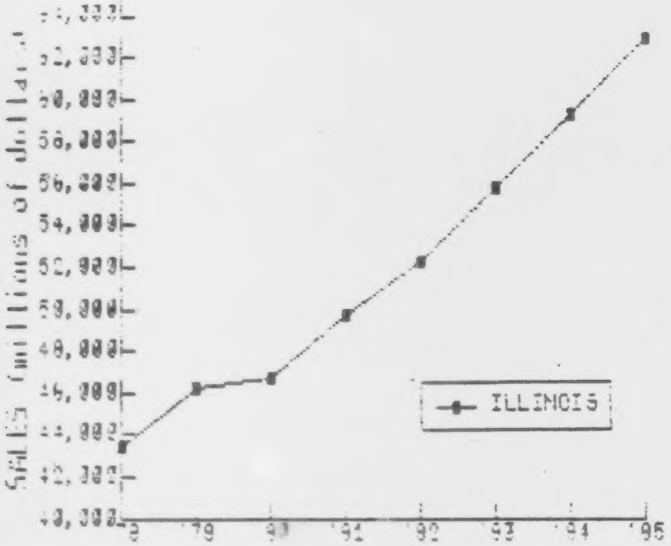
DOWNTOWN OFFICE VACANCY RATES**

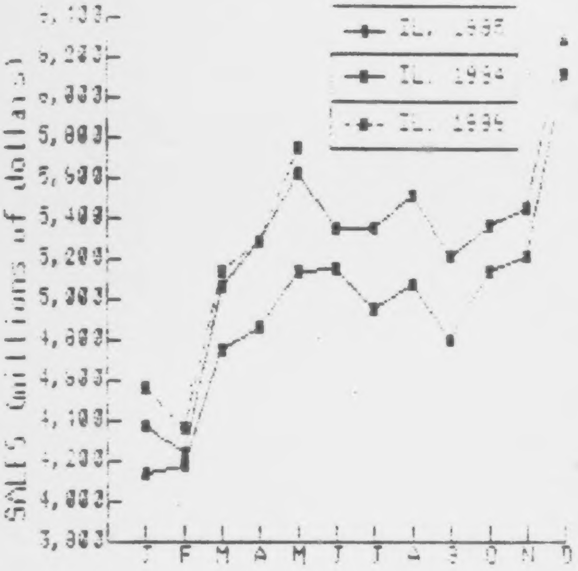
	1984				1985				1986							
	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D
National	13.1	13.5	14.2	14.7	15.4	16.1	16.5	16.5	16.5							
New York	4.5	6.5	6.6	8.3	8.5	10.4	10.0	11.1	10.8							
Chicago	10.7	10.8	10.1	10.4	10.5	11.0	9.4	10.6	11.0							
Suburban	13.8	13.4	13.8	16.8	18.7	19.0	18.9	21.7	20.9							
Los Angeles	12.2	11.8	12.9	11.8	12.4	12.8	13.5	18.2	18.5							
Phil'phia	8.8	9.6	10.1	9.0	8.0	8.2	8.8	10.2	9.2							
Houston	18.5	21.1	20.9	20.9	19.5	20.2	19.3	20.2	19.1							
St. Louis	10.5	9.5	10.7	9.8	11.0	10.9	10.4	10.8	11.0							

**Percentage of vacant space for lease or rent to total square footage in office buildings surveyed in 22 downtown areas. r: revised

SOURCE: Coldwell Banker.

ILLINOIS SALES OF ALL RETAIL STORES





ANNUAL
(millions)

	------AMOUNT------			--PERCENT CHANGE---			
Year	Ill.	Chicago SMSA*	Chicago City	Ill.	Chicago SMSA*	Chicago City	U.S.
1978	43,463	28,721	10,676	10.5	10.4	13.1	11.2
1979	46,216	30,992	10,880	6.3	7.9	1.9	11.4
1980	46,742	31,365	10,606	1.1	1.2	-2.5	6.7
1981	49,715	32,325	10,821	6.4	3.1	2.0	8.5
1982	52,195	34,538	10,850	5.0	6.8	0.3	3.0
1983	55,696	36,799	11,033	6.7	6.6	1.7	9.5
1984	59,263	39,604	12,341	6.4	7.6	11.9	10.1
1985	62,896	41,731	12,452	6.1	5.4	0.9	6.2

MONTH*
(millions)
1986

				Percent Change from 1 Year Ago			
Mo.	Ill.	Chicago SMSA*	Chicago City	Ill.	Chicago SMSA*	Chicago City	U.S.
Jan	4,561	3,123	919	4.5	8.6	5.3	6.9
Feb	4,355	3,052	906	2.9	7.8	6.7	4.3
Mar	5,132	3,500	1,030	1.4	6.1	6.4	3.7
Apr	5,288	3,557	1,043	0.1	4.4	3.4	2.3
May^p	5,749	3,861	1,143	2.2	6.2	8.5	4.0
Jun							
Jul							
Aug							
Sep							
Oct							
Nov							
Dec							

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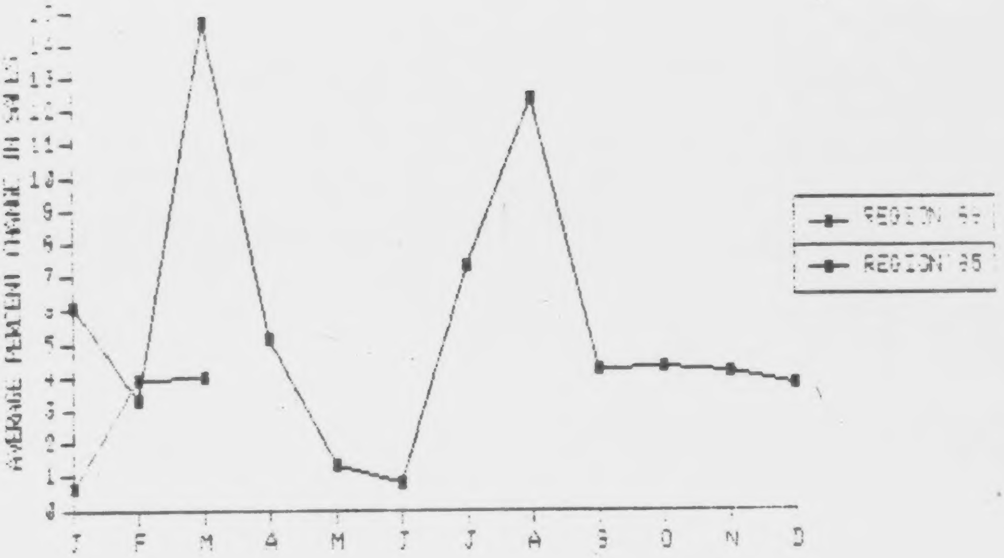
*SMSA data will not be revised for new PMSA/MSA/CSA configurations until 1987.
p=preliminary   r=revised
*Data are not adjusted for seasonal variations, holidays, or trading-day differences.
SOURCE: Monthly Retail Trade, U.S. Department of Commerce.

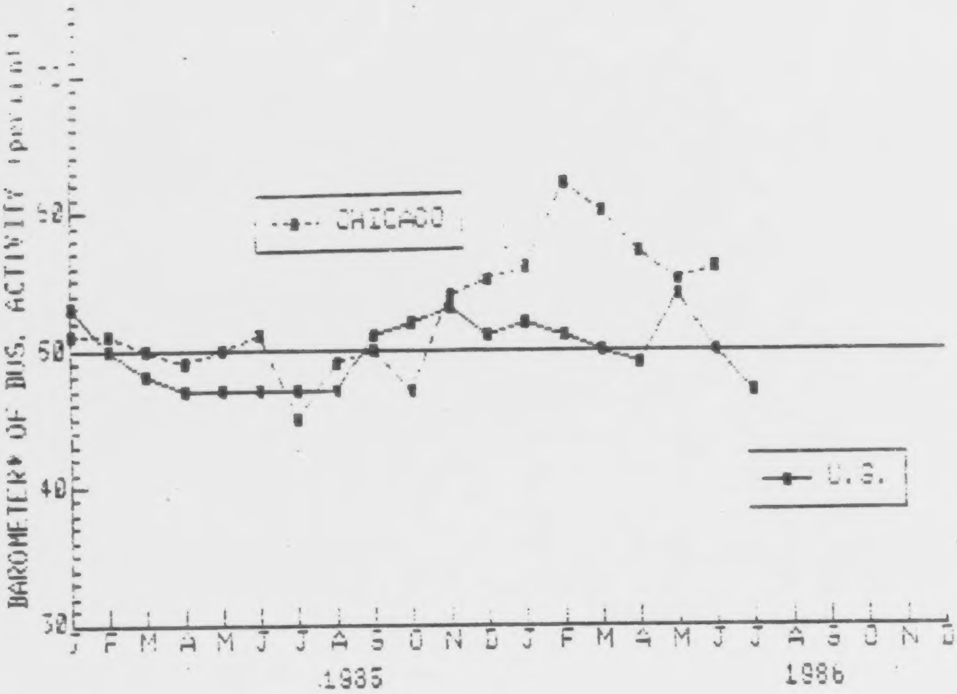
RETAILERS SALES COMPARISON



MONTH		GROSS SALES RECEIPTS AVERAGE % CHANGE FROM 1 YEAR AGO REGION*	CHICAGO	NO. ILL.	CEN./ SOUTH	TOTAL REGIONAL AVERAGE CHANGE IN SALES BY TYPE DEPT.	SPECIALITY	OTHER
	1984	8.28%	8.99%	6.11%	6.34%	8.91%	2.37%	3.85%
	1985	4.93	5.94	2.05	2.91	5.12	4.92	1.92
1986								
JAN		0.64	0.23	0.13	6.48	1.33	-11.26	4.96
FEB		3.90	3.24	6.12	2.85	4.33	5.62	4.27
MAR		3.99	3.56	5.10	7.50	4.56	1.99	-9.33
APR		-3.71	-4.85	1.33	-1.00	-4.46	-2.21	7.04
MAY		2.57	2.22	3.67	4.15	2.32	0.99	7.81
JUNE		1.87	1.18	4.90	3.55	1.58	6.27	0.98
JULY								
AUG								
SEPT								
OCT								
NOV								
DEC								
Year to Date		1.61%	0.87%	4.30%	3.85%	1.64%	2.35%	-0.69%

*Regional figures include Chicago, Northern Illinois, Central/Southern Illinois, and Northern Indiana.

SOURCE: Illinois Retail Merchants Association.



1984-1985**

		J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
BAROMETER (Composite Index* of Business Activity)													
CHICAGO	1985	51	51	50	49	50	51	45	49	50	47	54	55
	1986	56	62	60	57	55	56						
U.S.	1985	53	50	48	47	47	47	47	47	51	52	53	51
	1986	52	51	50	49	54	50	47					

1986
CHICAGO SERIES ITEM INDEX*

PRODUCTION	60	66	66	62	61	59
NEW ORDERS	60	70	64	60	57	61
ORDER BACKLOG	53	62	59	53	47	51
INVENTORIES	49	58	56	54	55	52
EMPLOYMENT	44	48	49	52	49	49
VENDOR DEL.	54	52	50	50	45	50
PRICES PAID	58	55	58	56	55	51

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*Index of 50 or above indicates expansion, less than 50 means contraction
**Barometer data is seasonally adjusted; all other data not seasonally adjusted.
SOURCE: Purchasing Management Association of Chicago

ILLINOIS
STATE GOVERNMENT

STATE TRANSACTIONS - GENERAL FUNDS, 1986
(millions)

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
BEGINNING AVAILABLE BALANCE	$308	$249	$112	$265	$245	$283	$288	$336				
Revenues:												
Income Tax	307	245	340	384	345	350	243					
Sales Tax	249	232	333	237	237	310	269					
Other	134	104	168	152	116	125	106					
Transfers In	61	65	83	56	67	68	40					
Federal	141	112	148	137	134	132	130					
TOTAL REVENUES	892	758	1072	966	899	985	788					
Expenditures:												
Public Aid	265	231	265	255	254	217	285					
Common School Fund	163	163	163	163	163	326	--					
Operations	271	237	247	236	209	183	233					
Other	191	180	181	268	183	202	141					
Transfers Out	61	84	63	64	52	52	81					
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	951	895	919	986	861	980	740					
ENDING AVAILABLE BALANCE	249	112	265	245	283	288	336					

STATE EMPLOYMENT AND PAYROLL

1986	TOTAL Employees	TOTAL Payrolls (000)	ALL AGENCIES EXCEPT EDUCATION Employees	ALL AGENCIES EXCEPT EDUCATION Payrolls (000)	EDUCATION Employees	EDUCATION Payrolls (000)
January	116,300	$212,799	78,417	$152,558	37,963	$60,241
February	118,828	213,127	78,514	151,980	40,314	61,147
March	118,977	214,408	78,626	152,599	40,351	61,809
April	119,086	213,567	78,643	152,107	40,443	61,460
May	118,170	214,488	79,113	153,307	39,057	61,181
June	112,134	216,260	80,574	158,350	31,560	57,910
July						
August						
September						
October						
November						
December						

SOURCE: Office of the Controller

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